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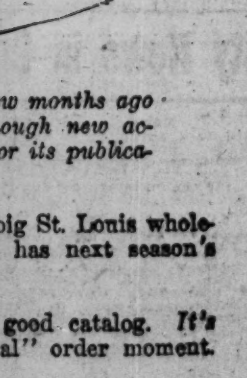
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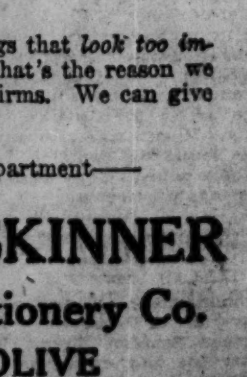
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culation of the Sunday Globe-
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CAPT. STINGER IS ACQUITTED IN OPPRESSION CASE

Officer was Charged With
Wrongly Arresting an Em-
ployee of Globe-Democrat
Last Spring.

MAN SUSPECTED OF BETTING ON RACES

Defendant Admits Ordering
Arrest and Says He Was
Doing His Duty as Or-
dered by the Chief.

Police Captain William Stinger, commanding the Newstar Avenue District, was acquitted by a jury this afternoon on a charge of oppression in office, brought by Edward Meany, 1510 Lafayette avenue, an employee of the Globe-Democrat circulation department. The jury reported at 3:25 p. m., after having been out three hours and 45 minutes. A member said six ballots were taken.

Stinger arrested Meany in Joseph Gorman's cigar store at 611 Chestnut street last April 23, on suspicion of betting on a horse race. Meany was released shortly afterward, but filed the charge against Stinger.

Oppression in office is a misdemeanor, the penalty for which is a maximum fine of \$200, six months in jail, or both. There also is an indirect penalty under another statute which says that anyone who has been convicted of oppression in office shall forfeit that office and thereafter shall be "forever barred" from holding an office of honor or trust and "forever barred" from voting at any election.

Held 45 Minutes.
Meany testified that he entered Gorman's cigar store the afternoon of the arrest to take up advertising signs for the Globe-Democrat and while he was there Stinger, then a lieutenant and in charge of the gambling squad, entered and accused him of making a bet in a hand-book.

Meany said Stinger was accompanied by Special Policeman Broderick, the head of the gambling squad, and that the two entered the store and covered him with dust and staid used and that Gorman had admitted to him that he ran a hand-book.

Several witnesses testified that Gorman's cigar store was known as a place where hand-book bets could be made. Sgt. Wade Matthews, present head of the gambling squad, testified that the cigar cases in the store were covered with dust and staid used and that Gorman had admitted to him that he ran a hand-book.

30 Handbooks in St. Louis.
"How many handbooks are there in St. Louis?" he was asked.
"About 30," he replied. In this he raised the estimate of Policeman Broderick, who had testified there were "about a dozen."

"Why don't you close up these places?" asked Prosecuting Attorney Sidener.
"We make many raids and arrests," replied Matthews.

"Don't you know that in order to make a case you must see the money wagered?"
"Yes, Mr. Sidener, and you tell us that we must also see the race run, or produce a witness who saw it run."

"Well, that's a Supreme Court ruling," said Sidener.
"So they say," replied Matthews.

Handbook Raids Frequent.
Special Policeman Broderick also told of frequent raids on handbooks. He said it was practically impossible to make cases because persons arrested on suspicion of betting could not be induced to go before the prosecuting attorney or the Circuit Attorney as witnesses against the hand-book men. Broderick testified he arrested Meany and was willing to take the responsibility.

Capt. Stinger testified that he ordered Broderick to make the arrest. "I ordered him to do it just as the Chief of Police had ordered me to do all in my power to suppress gambling," Stinger testified. "My responsibility in this matter is no different from that of the Chief. I made this arrest in the performance of duty. Meany was released when it was found he would not be willing to be a witness if we tried to make a case against Gorman."

Bailley for Governor of Texas.
By the Associated Press.
DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 17.—Formal announcement of his candidacy for Governor of Texas will be made by former Senator Joseph W. Bailley after his address at Galveston tomorrow, he told friends here today.

MAKER OF MILLIONS IN CANADA BURIED IN MISSOURI HOME

William Dubart Long, Who Left
Farmington When 19, Pros-
pered in Hamilton, Ont.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
FARMINGTON, Mo., Feb. 17.—The body of William Dubart Long, a millionaire manufacturer, was buried here today. Sixty years ago, when he was 19, Long left Farmington, but in the years since then he has always maintained his American citizenship and paid taxes and otherwise showed his interest in the town where he was born.

When he left here as a boy, Long went to Hamilton, Ont. His sister, Jennie, afterwards went there and married George H. Bisbee, a wealthy Canadian. Dubart Long associated himself with Bisbee's business and wealth was accumulated by them in their diversified business interests, principally woolen mills and shoe factories in Canada and Holyoke, Mass. Bisbee has been dead several years. The fortunes of Long and Mrs. Bisbee are said to approximate a million and a half each. Surviving relatives of Long are Hugh Long, a brother, Mrs. George M. Wilson, a sister, and a number of nieces and nephews residing here, and Mrs. Bisbee, the sister, in Hamilton.

A nephew, Dubart Wilson of Farmington, had been Long's confidential secretary for a number of years.

Long did not belong to any fraternal or secret societies, and never married.

ROYALTY GUESTS AT WEDDING OF CONSUELO VANDERBILT'S SON

Marquis of Blandford and the Hon-
orable Mary Cadogan Married

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, Feb. 17.—The Marquis of Blandford, son of the Duchess of Marlborough, formerly Consuelo Vanderbilt of New York, was married this afternoon to the Honorable Mary Cadogan, daughter of Earl Cadogan, at St. Margaret's Church, Westminster. The wedding was the most important social event of the kind since the marriage of Princess Patricia of Connaught to Alexander R. M. Ramsey, a year ago.

King George, Queen Mary, Princess Mary, Dowager Queen Alexandra, Princess Victoria and Princess Louise, sister of King George, witnessed the ceremony. The Duke and Duchess of Marlborough, Earl Curzon, the Foreign Secretary, and several other members of the Government also were present.

The gifts were many and costly. They included a diamond brooch from King George and Queen Mary; a diamond pendant from the Queen Alexandra; and presents from other members of the royal family.

DAIRY PROPRIETOR FINED \$50 FOR SELLING WATERY MILK

Two Charges Entered Against Harry
Bergmans of Central
Dairy Co.

Harry Bergmans, proprietor of the Central Dairy Co., 4521 North Newstead avenue, was fined \$25 and costs today on each of two charges of sale of milk low in solid content. "Low solid content" is a presumption of watering.

The fines were on milk taken by a city inspector in the grocery store of Joe Kestrov, 3123 North Broadway, and H. R. Aye, 923 Salisbury street. A third similar charge was dismissed because Philip Mostafae, a grocer at 3119 North Broadway, was not positive that the milk had come from the Central Dairy Co.

Ante Schulte of Schulte Bros. Dairy Co., 4558 Carter avenue, was discharged under a charge of selling milk low in solid content to J. C. Kunz, a grocer at 1837 Benton street, because the information failed to state the time of purchase.

LANE TO JOIN OIL CONCERN AT SALARY OF \$50,000 A YEAR

Retiring Secretary of Interior to Be
Vice-President of Pan-American
Petroleum Co.

By the Associated Press.
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 17.—Franklin K. Lane, retiring Secretary of the Interior, will become an executive of the Pan-American Petroleum and Transport Co., when he relinquishes his official position. It was announced here today by E. L. Doherty, president of the two companies.

Lane's salary, it was reported, will be approximately \$50,000 annually. He will have offices in New York, but will frequently visit Los Angeles. His duties will be those of legal adviser and vice president.

MAYOR SIGNS ORDINANCE FORBIDDING 'NO PARKING' SIGNS

Hereafter, nobody except the Di-
rector of Streets and Sewers will be
permitted to erect "No Parking"
signs. An ordinance prohibiting pri-
vate firms or individuals from doing
so was signed by Mayor Kiel today,
and became effective at once.

AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS OF U. R. READY FOR CIRCUIT ATTORNEY

Wells Says Complete Report
Shows Former Assistant
Treasurer Short About as
Stated in January.

J. W. SAMUEL WAS LET OUT IN DECEMBER

Discrepancy of \$17,913 in
Liberty Bond Account and
\$3450 in Tokens Was Dis-
covered by Chance.

The audit of the accounts of James W. Samuel, 6122 Westminster Place, discharged assistant treasurer of the United Railways receivership, has been completed and preparation of a statement of the findings for submission to the Circuit Attorney has been started.

In making this announcement, Receiver Wells said today that the audit has established the shortages in the employees' Liberty bond and carfare token accounts handled by Samuel to be about as stated in the Post-Dispatch of Jan. 25, when this newspaper exclusively disclosed that Samuel had been discharged and stated the circumstances.

The February grand jury begun its sessions this afternoon and at the Circuit Attorney's office it was said that the office would submit to the grand jury whatever the receiver had to state in reference to Samuel as soon as it was given to the Circuit Attorney.

Discrepancy of \$21,000.
The Post-Dispatch of January 25 stated the discrepancy in Samuel's accounts to be \$17,913.94 in the employees' Liberty Bond account and \$3450 in the token account, a total of \$21,363.94.

Receiver Wells said today that the discrepancy in the token account was in excess of \$4000 and that the discrepancy in the Liberty Bond account was "about as the Post-Dispatch stated." He said that he would not announce the exact figures at this time.

Samuel, as has been told, was discharged last Dec. 15 after a service of 25 years. He is about 40 years old and his first employment with the United Railways was as an office boy for the late Capt. Robert McCulloch, who had a fondness for Samuel. Samuel did not know of his discharge until he read of it in the Post-Dispatch, having the impression that he was on a leave of absence because of illness.

Discovery by Chance.
It will be remembered that discovery of discrepancies in the accounts in charge of Samuel was by chance. It was determined to change the method of handling tokens and this involved a check of that account. It was found to be short.

Without the knowledge of Samuel, a check then was made of the Liberty Bond account. This involved calling upon Samuel for certain records. He evaded the request and the next day reported that he was ill and remained away from the company's offices.

After five days, Samuel was brought to the company's offices by the company's chief physician and was questioned by Receiver Wells. Manager Perkins and informed of the results of an incomplete check of his accounts. He replied and has since maintained that he had no knowledge of any discrepancies, that some of his records were lost and that persons other than himself had access to the accounts under his charge. The interview resulted in his discharge.

Samuel's salary was increased from \$280 to \$300 a month last September.

Samuel is in the city and has retained an attorney. He was not at his home when a Post-Dispatch reporter called there today for a statement.

FAIR, LOWER TEMPERATURE TONIGHT AND TOMORROW

THE TEMPERATURES.
1 a. m. 21.1 f. 11 a. m. 21.1 f.
3 p. m. 21.1 f. 5 p. m. 21.1 f.
7 p. m. 21.1 f. 9 p. m. 21.1 f.

Official fore-
cast for St. Louis
and vicinity:
Fair and colder
tonight and to-
morrow; the
lowest tempera-
ture tonight will
be about 22 de-
grees.

Missouri—
Generally fair
tonight and to-
morrow; some-
what colder to-
morrow.

Illinois—Un-
settled tonight;
probably light
snow and colder
in north por-
tion; tomorrow
generally fair and colder.

Now we can
ride in a bus
to the auto
show.

DIVORCED WIFE BEGINS ACTION FOR \$35,000,000

Mrs. Kennett Cowan Asserts
She and Not Second Wife
Is Rightful Heir to Estate
of Harry S. Harkness.

ATTACKS WILL MADE JUST BEFORE DEATH

Obtained Divorce in 1916
and Alimony of \$33,000 a
Year, Affair Being Shroud-
ed in Mystery.

By Leased Wire From the New York
Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Asserting that she and not the second wife is the rightful heir to the \$25,000,000 estate of Harry S. Harkness, Standard Oil man, Mrs. Kennett Cowan has filed summons in suits against Mrs. Florence Steuber Gaines Harkness, and her co-executor, John W. MacMillan, it was stated last night by Charles T. Lark of counsel for Mrs. Cowan.

Harkness died Jan. 22, 1919, of influenza, and in a last will and testament before his death, to which he signed his name so faintly as to be almost illegible, he left everything in his possession to the second wife. This will was filed Feb. 11, 1919, and was admitted to probate March 27, 1919.

Mrs. Cowan, who was Marie Moss Marbeck, Harkness' first wife, obtained a divorce and alimony of \$33,000 a year from the multi-millionaire in 1916. She said yesterday through her husband, that she has a mutual contract with Harkness which was executed in 1902.

Cowan, head of the firm of Kennett Cowan & Co., said last night: "We are in this fight to a finish. Mrs. Cowan's complaint will be filed in a few days. It will set forth the facts of the mutual contract which was made by Harkness and myself in 1902. Further, she has letters and other documents showing that it was Harkness' desire that she inherit his estate."

Facts of Personal Nature.
"There are other facts of personal nature which I cannot discuss now. Suffice it to say we are prepared to prove the will presented by Mrs. Harkness for probate was drawn up under most extraordinary circumstances. The number of the present proof that Mr. Harkness was practically dying when he scrawled his initials on this will. The will was drawn up on a single sheet of foolscap which was more generally developed in this show than the previous exhibitions. One of them is the three-passenger roadster, where three is company—quite chummy, family-like company, to be sure, but where two is much less than a crowd."

Another spreading rumor is that of the disk wheel, the resemblance of which to an ash-can cover was pointed out by the happily observant comic artist, Goldberg. There are disk wheels of various metallic compounds, and one set of walnut disks is displayed. However, most of the wheels are still of the spoke pattern.

The passenger car show is conducted and managed jointly with the Motor Truck Show, in the Coliseum, and the purchaser of a 50-cent ticket at either show receives a coupon of admission to the other. The number at the Truck Show last night was about one-half that at the Automobile Show proper, which was estimated by the show management at 3000.

Delivery Question Raised.
The question of delivery is one occasionally raised by the spectators, and it is always a question of interest to the dealer, for it may indicate a possible buyer. In general, the reply was that immediate delivery of the higher-priced cars could be made, while some of the popular buyers would have to wait a few days, or weeks.

Cars of local make were a more important part of the display than in any previous show. The cars produced by the General Motors Corporation, which is about to become one of the biggest of employing concerns here, were included in this phase of local interest.

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9000 SEE \$500,000 IN PASSENGER CARS AT AUTO SHOW

Two Hundred and Forty
With Average Price of
\$2100 Exhibited at South-
ern Hotel Building.

62 DEALERS OFFER 76 MOTOR STYLES

Chief Interest Is Shown in
Makes From St. Louis Fac-
tories—Trucks Exhibited
at Coliseum.

Two hundred and forty passenger automobiles, with an estimated value of more than a half-million dollars, fill the exhibit spaces of the Southern Hotel building, Broadway and Walnut street, in the 1920 Automobile Show, thirteenth annual event of this character, which opened last night with an attendance which crowded the aisles. It will continue through the week, from 11 a. m. to 11 p. m. daily.

Even the hotel dining room, used as an auditorium in other recent exhibitions, is filled with cars. The popular-price cars make a strong bid for attention, but they are comparatively few in number, and the show manager estimates that the cars displayed in the building have an average sale price of more than \$2100.

The show is the 1920 show, but the cars on display are not uniformly designated as 1920 cars. Automobile makers are coming to use serial numbers, and to leave designation of date to the producers of state revenues. The use of a serial number, some of the dealers explain, permits a maker to make more than one type of car in a year, but the more important and practical side of the matter is that he can also make one type last two or three years.

Styles Become Standardized.
Car styles are becoming standardized, the makers and dealers say, and they should not be expected to follow the season, like women's hats, which change from a 1920 model, and a 1921, and a 1922 model of any particular motor vehicle, than there would be for the same variations in the Pullman company's output of sleeping cars.

However, there are 1920 ideas, or at least ideas which are more generally developed in this show than the previous exhibitions. One of them is the three-passenger roadster, where three is company—quite chummy, family-like company, to be sure, but where two is much less than a crowd.

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WILSON ABLE NOW TO MEET CABINET, DR. GRAYSON SAYS

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—PRESIDENT WILSON continues to show improvement and was up early today, shaving himself and going about his usual routine. Rear Admiral Grayson, his physician, said Dr. Grayson's statement was prompted by published reports that the President had a relapse last night and that Dr. Francis X. Dercum, a Philadelphia specialist, had been hurriedly summoned to the White House for a midnight conference.

Dr. Grayson said he had not been in communication with Dr. Dercum since Saturday, when the latter visited the White House and found the President making steady progress. The President's Cabinet probably will not meet this week, Dr. Grayson said, but he added that if the President desired to call one, his physician would not object.

Use Metal on Broom to Get Out of 'Bull Pen' and Go Through Door Open for Painters.

FOUR PRISONERS ESCAPE FROM JAIL AT CLAYTON

Use Metal on Broom to Get Out of 'Bull Pen' and Go Through Door Open for Painters.

Four prisoners, one of them Earl Houston of 2730 Olive street, under a five-year penitentiary sentence for highway robbery, escaped from the St. Louis County Jail at Clayton this afternoon.

The men were in a steel cage known as the "bull pen" on the second floor of the jail. Two prisoners who refused to depart with them told how they got out of the pen. They said the escaping prisoners filed down the metal collar on the end of a broomstick and reached through the bars of the cage and loosened the screws which held in place a scantling back of a steam radiator.

The board fell to the floor and they dragged it to them with broomsticks and used it to pry apart two bars on the cell door. These bars were not strong, as they had been removed by prisoners once before and had been replaced.

Door Open for Painters.
Once out of the cage the escaping prisoners left the building through a door which had been left open for the convenience of painters who were working in the jail.

There were 13 prisoners on the first floor of the jail, but they did not have access to this door. They led to a porch connecting with the courthouse. The men are believed to have passed through the courthouse in escaping.

Two Negroes Escape.
Besides Hunter, Bernard Ball of 1810 North Grand avenue escaped. He was awaiting trial on the same charge which Houston was convicted last Saturday, the robbery of Isaac Hellman of 5539 Pershing avenue and Miss Florine May of 5 Washington terrace, the night of June 19 last, on the Berry road as they were returning from the Westwood Country Club.

The other two prisoners who escaped were two Negroes, Warren Berry and Henry McCann, both charged with larceny.

THREE RAILROAD SYSTEMS REPORTED PLANNING MERGER

By the Associated Press.
ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 17.—Merger of the Great Northern, Northern Pacific and Burlington railroads into one great transcontinental system, shortly after governmental control is relinquished this month, was forecast in high railroad circles here today. It is reported that the merger is being planned along with the acquisition by the late James J. Hill.

The merger was completed by James J. Hill, when he was in control of the roads, but it was discarded because, it is understood, the Federal Government regarded the combination as illegal. It is claimed that legislation before Congress and the present Government attitude would not prohibit the merger.

The three roads have a combined mileage of 27,000. It has been stated here that one reason for the merger is to take care of \$400,000,000 in Burlington bonds which fall due in 1921.

BALDWIN LOCOMOTIVE COMMON EARN 21.8 PER CENT IN 1919

By the Associated Press.
PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 17.—The annual report of the Baldwin Locomotive Works for 1919, made public last night, showed gross sales of \$84,307,776 and a net profit of \$5,778,243. After allowing for dividends on preferred stock, the net profit represented 21.8 per cent earned on the common shares.

Compared with 1918, the company's largest year in point of sales, gross sales last year decreased \$38,000,000 and profits approximately \$5,000,000.

In his report Samuel H. Vaulstin, president, said the curtailment of domestic business, as was anticipated, has continued and the foreign market has been the chief source of orders.

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WILSON WARNS ALLIES HE MAY WITHDRAW TREATY FROM SENATE

This Step Likely If They Persist in
Their Adriatic Plans Over
His Protest.

NOTE POINTS OUT THAT THEY CREATED SITUATION

No "Threat" Made but It Is Reiterated That
After Settlement Had Been Agreed Upon,
Allies Adopted New Plan Without
Consulting U. S.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—President Wilson in his "memorandum" to the allies concerning their proposed Adriatic settlement, informed them that the United States might have to consider withdrawing the treaty of Versailles from the Senate if the allies went ahead with their plans without the consent of the United States.

This statement was made officially here today with the further statement that the American position was outlined not in the nature of a threat, but as a statement of a situation created "not by an act of the American Government, but by an act of the British, French and Italian Premiers," which would place the United States in the position, if it were a party to the treaty of Versailles, of subscribing through the pact of rights of sovereignty and other agreements to which it was opposed.

The treaty of Versailles and the Anglo-Franco-American pact are considered inseparable as far as the question is concerned, and if President Wilson should determine to withdraw the treaty of Versailles, it would mean that the American-French pact would be withdrawn at the same time, it was explained.

Acts of Foreign Premiers.
State Department officials take the position that the French press is endeavoring, through setting up a cry of threat on the part of the American Government, to place the blame for the situation which has arisen at America's door. "Instead of on the acts of the foreign Premiers, where it belongs."

It was reiterated that, on Dec. 9, before acting Secretary Polk left Paris, the American, British and French representatives had agreed on a settlement of the Adriatic question, and it was charged that, subsequently, without consulting the United States, the allied Premiers, sitting in Paris, adopted a new agreement, which was transmitted to Ambassador Wallace for the approval of the American Government.

Surprise to the United States.
This, it was said, came as a great surprise to the American Government, which sent a communication to the Premiers asking whether they proposed to settle the question without consulting the American Government. The Premiers were said to have replied that they did not intend to do so, but later sent an ultimatum to Jugo-Slavia, that unless it accepted the new settlement the terms of the original treaty of London would be carried out.

Officials, said Secretary Lansing's resignation was not connected in any way with the Adriatic question.

ALLIES' REPLY TO WILSON NOTE GIVEN TO DAVIS

Communication Said to Be Modifi-
cation of One Previously
Prepared.

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, Feb. 17.—The allied Supreme Council tonight handed to Ambassador Davis its answer to President Wilson's communication on the Adriatic question. The note was a modification, it was said, of the one prepared on Saturday last.

SAFETY BOXES OF
BANK OF O'FALLON
BIBED OF \$80,000

Forced and Vault Blown
Open—Loss Believed to
Be Principally in Liberty
Bonds.

The Bank of O'Fallon, at O'Fallon, 18 miles west of St. Charles, entered early today and the safe vault blown open and 70 safety boxes rifled of their contents, Liberty Bonds. The loss is estimated at \$80,000 by officials of bank.

One of the residents heard a muffled report at about 1:30 o'clock, but investigation was made. The robbery was discovered by F. H. Gentile, the cashier, when he went to bank at 7 o'clock to open it. He found the front door had been forced and the front of the safe deposit blown out.

The boxes and the discarded portion of their contents were thrown out of the place.

An attempt had been made to blow safe containing the bank's money. This had not succeeded. County authorities were notified and are working on the case, but they have no leads.

The bank is a private institution, owned by residents. John M. Keith is the president.

MURPHY'S
EARLY 1/2 PRICE

Sale of Traveling Men's Samples
Bags, Suitcases, Ladies' Hand Bags, Toilet Roll, with exception of soil or scratches all goods perfect.

Don't miss this opportunity to buy a bargain.

- | | |
|---|---------|
| Lot of black Traveling bags, reg. \$2.50, sale... | \$2.50 |
| Lot of black, brown fiber bags, reg. \$4.50, sale... | \$2.75 |
| Lot of black, walrus grain, cowling bags, reg. \$15 and \$16, choice... | \$10.75 |
| Lot of Du Pont Oxford bags, reg. \$18, choice... | \$5.95 |
| Lot of genuine leather bags, reg. \$18, choice... | \$12.00 |
| Lot of walrus grain Oxford bags, reg. \$15 and \$16, choice... | \$18.00 |
| Lot of 4-oz. cowling bags, reg. \$45, choice... | \$32.50 |
| Lot of \$2.50 fiber suitcases, choice... | \$1.50 |
| Lot of \$4.50 fiber suitcases, choice... | \$3.45 |
| Lot of \$7.50 fiber suitcases, choice... | \$5.00 |
| Fiber Wardrobe Trunks, reg. \$25, choice... | \$14.00 |
| Fiber Wardrobe Trunks, reg. \$25, choice... | \$32.50 |
| Fiber Wardrobe Trunks, reg. \$25, choice... | \$42.50 |
| Fiber Wardrobe Trunks, reg. \$25, choice... | \$52.50 |
| Fiber Wardrobe Trunks, reg. \$25, choice... | \$75.00 |

- SALE OF SILK AND VELVET LADIES' HAND BAGS
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| \$10.00 Fiber Gladstone Bags, special... | \$6.50 |
| \$15.00 Fiber Gladstone Bags, special... | \$10.00 |
| \$25.00 Du Pont Gladstone Bags, special... | \$11.00 |
| \$35.00 Fiber Gladstone Bags, special... | \$20.00 |
| \$45.00 Fiber Gladstone Bags, special... | \$30.00 |
| \$55.00 Fiber Gladstone Bags, special... | \$45.00 |

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707 Washington Av.
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EVAPORATED MILK
2 Tall Tins 25c
GUARANTEED
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MARTENS REFUSES
TO TURN OVER HIS
CODES TO SENATE

Names of Couriers Also Will
Be Withheld, Soviet "En-
voy" Informs Sub-commit-
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HIS DEMANDS FOR RAIL
EQUIPMENT IGNORED

Tried to Obtain Material
Worth \$28,000,000 Bought
in U. S. by Former Regime
in Russia.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—More testimony regarding Russian Soviet Government attempts to establish relations with American business concerns was given today before the Senate subcommittee investigating Soviet activities of Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, self-styled Soviet Ambassador.

Chairman Moses presented protests from the Packard Motor Car Co. and the Westinghouse Electric Co. against Martens' assertions that they had sought to trade through him with Russia. Martens conceded it was possible they had been merely solicited to sell goods, and had not sought orders.

Concerns less known. Chairman Moses questioning indicating, which actually contracted with the Soviet Government, in at least two cases, had used the fact to assist their financing operations.

Martens read a letter he wrote the State Department formally demanding possession of some \$28,000,000 worth of railway equipment bought in the United States by the former regime in Russia, to which he has received no response.

Cannot Give His Codes.
"Are you now prepared to submit to the committee all your instructions, secret or otherwise, from the Soviet Government?" was asked by Wade H. Ellis, committee counsel.

"No," Martens answered. "I am willing to give everything that I can submit, but I cannot give my codes, names of my couriers and so forth."

"Who is Bucharin?" Ellis asked. "He is editor of La Pravda, a Russian newspaper," said Martens.

"That's an official organization of your Government, isn't it?" "No, of the Communist party."

"And Bucharin has been assistant commissary of foreign affairs for the Soviet?" Martens said he did not know that.

"Did you see dispatches in the morning papers concerning a message signed by Bucharin, seized in England, urging inflammatory language, urging revolution in the United States?" Ellis asked. "Yes," Martens said. "I only saw it there, however."

"Bucharin was in U. S. for three months from December 1917, Martens added.

Ellis read an article in the Revolutionary World, a New York publication, which credited to Bucharin, and in which was urged "dictatorship of the proletariat" and a rebellion of the "working class who can gain nothing by soft words."

"Do you endorse those opinions?" Ellis asked.

"I can't answer that," Martens said.

"Do you believe in the dictatorship of the proletariat?" Ellis continued.

Girl Baby Who Was Abandoned at Union
Station, Photographed at City Hospital



BABY IN FINE CLOTHES
LEFT AT UNION STATION
SHIP AUCTION CLOSED
WITH ONE BID TODAY

Letter Asking for Girl Infant's
Adoption and \$25 Found in
Crib in Rest Room.

An elaborate wardrobe of silk baby garments and \$25 in currency were found with an infant girl who was abandoned yesterday in the women's rest room at Union Station, where it was discovered by Mrs. Mary Gibson, a policewoman.

The mother of the child bade died two days after its birth and the father's death occurred three months before the child was born. The last words of the mother were that the child was to be put in an orphan asylum or adopted by a Catholic family.

The baby's wardrobe included a silk quilted coat, a silk kimono, and a silk quilt. It wore a white hand-embroidered dress, and several other dresses were in the suitcase. The baby has blue eyes and light hair. It is at the city hospital, where it probably will be held for adoption.

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\$30 A MONTH
FOR WIDOWS OF
TWO FIREMEN

Payments From Pension
Fund to Continue While
They Remain Unmarried
—Other Benefits.

The widows of William Egenlietter, 39 years old, 4471 Lee avenue, and Joseph Wittgenstein, 26, 901 Hickory street, firemen who were killed yesterday at 11:30 in the fall of a pile of steel, a grass used to make bags, during a fire in the warehouse of the American Manufacturing Co. 1021 South Tenth street, each will receive \$30 a month, so long as they remain unmarried, from the Firemen's Pension Fund.

Mrs. Wittgenstein will receive \$7.50 a month in addition for each of her three children until they reach the age of 16 years. Both will receive \$500 from the Firemen's Mutual Aid Association, an \$800 from the Firemen's Union, of which their husbands were members. A still further payment is \$75 for funeral expenses from the pension fund.

The American Manufacturing Co. has notified Chief Panser that it will contribute \$5000 to the pension fund. The families of the dead firemen will receive no direct benefit from this contribution but it will help the pension fund meet payments to them.

The funeral of Egenlietter, who was a member of Engine Company No. 22, will be held Thursday at 2 p. m. from the family residence. That of Wittgenstein, who was a member of Engine Company No. 18, will be held Thursday at 3 p. m. from an undertaking chapel at 2923 South Jefferson avenue.

District Chief John F. Barry, who was overcome by smoke at the time the pile of steel fell, and who was at the side of the men killed, was able to leave the city hospital late yesterday afternoon. He is about 70 years old, and has been injured and overcome by smoke many times in attendance at fires.

The condition of Michael Weakley, 22 years old, 1819 Oregon avenue, a member of Engine Company No. 22, who was the third man caught beneath the pile of steel, was such that he could not leave the city hospital today. He suffered dislocation of two bones in his right forearm, and burns about his face, head and neck. However, he lay in cold water for nearly 30 minutes and suffered from exposure. It was said today that it was thought the danger of pneumonia had been passed.

Warehouse Not Damaged.
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MRS. FREEN NULSEN
GETS DIVORCE IN
FEW MINUTES

Former Wife of Cincinnati
Millionaire Says Husband
Nagged Her From Day of
Wedding in Chicago.

MARRIED IN 1916,
SEPARATED JAN. 22

Appearance Entered by Nulsen
Soon After Filing of
Suit, Because of Her Ill-
ness, He Says.

Mrs. Edna Rearkirt Nulsen this afternoon obtained a divorce, in the Clayton Circuit Court, from Freen B. Nulsen, former Adjutant of the First Regiment, National Guard of Missouri, an army captain in the world war. She was formerly the wife of Llewellyn B. Rearkirt, a Cincinnati millionaire, whom she divorced.

The divorce decree was granted by Judge McElhinney after a hearing lasting less than a half-hour, on the same day in which the suit was filed. Two women neighbors, character witnesses for Mrs. Nulsen, were the only persons heard besides the wife.

The Nulsen home is at Clayton and Lay roads, St. Louis County. Nulsen is a salesman for an investment security firm.

The wife testified to the fact of her marriage in Chicago Nov. 2, 1916, and to her separation from Nulsen Jan. 22 last. She testified that the home where they lived was her property.

In her petition, Mrs. Nulsen alleged that her condition was rendered intolerable, from the day following the marriage, by unreasonable violence, immediate and continuing nagging and criticism on her husband's part.

She declared that she assumed a sullen and morose air toward him, and that this attitude seriously affected his health and destroyed his peace of mind.

Nulsen entered his appearance soon after the suit was filed, making an immediate hearing possible. Judge McElhinney said he heard the case without delay because he understood Mrs. Nulsen was about to go to a hospital for a surgical operation.

Nulsen refers to illness. Nulsen, when seen by a Post-Dispatch reporter after the filing of the suit, spoke of his wife's purpose of going to a hospital, and said he wished to avoid any unpleasant occurrence, asserting that he was still on friendly terms with her. He said he did not wish to speak of her allegations.

Nulsen before his marriage lived at 3029 Longfellow boulevard. In December, 1918, he flew as an airplane passenger from Camp Dodge, Ia., where he was stationed, to visit his wife. The machine, piloted by an aviation lieutenant, landed in a cornfield near the Nulsen home.

Passenger Cars Worth
Half a Million are on
Display at Auto Show

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body, figured to the last decimal of weight and motive economy for a popular-price offering. A roadster and a 5-passenger touring car were shown.

The Moon, one of the oldest of St. Louis products, was shown in a yellow sportster with disc wheels.

The Gardner, made by the Gardner Motor Co. of Main and Rutgers streets, and which is to be produced in quantity within a month, was displayed in an elaborately metal chassis, and in two to the five-passenger touring car which are to be made in this popular-price car is adapted for the use of low-grade fuel.

All Makes Represented.
The cars of the General Motors Corporation, all of which are represented, are the Cadillac, Buick, Scripps-Booth, Oakland and Oldsmobile, besides the Chevrolet. The Scripps-Booth Six has a flat radiator this year, instead of the former angular shape. The Oldsmobile shows a 4-cylinder car finished in Spanish leather and an exhibition chassis. A Buick factory cut-out chassis is displayed.

For lack of space in the show, the Vesper-Buick company is holding its exhibits in its showrooms, and is taking those who wish to go there in special cars. The same arrangement is made by the Oldsmobile and Packard dealers.

NEGRO FINED \$29
FOR KILLING THREE
YELLOWHAMMERS

City Counselor Daves Defends
Old Employee of Family and
Mayor's Son Pays the Fine.

The yellowhammer may not be much of a bird, but the United States Government thinks enough of it to protect it by law, although Joe Duval, 4254 W. Cook avenue, a negro employed by the Kiel-Daves Brick-laying Co., didn't know this when he went hunting at Greco-Cous Lake Sept. 25. When Joe couldn't find any squirrels, he decided to take home whatever he could get, which happened to be three yellowhammers.

The yellowhammer, after all, is only a woodpecker, sometimes known as the flicker, or golden-winged woodpecker, and when it is stripped of its feathers there isn't much left. The three which Joe killed probably wouldn't have made a meal of him.

However, he didn't get out of the woods with them until Federal Game Warden Barmier got him, and then Joe learned how the Government regards the yellowhammer.

This was still more deeply impressed on him today when Judge Paris in the Federal Court assessed a fine and costs totaling \$29.95, as a penalty for violating the yellowhammer's standing. This after City Counselor Daves appeared as attorney for Duval, who, he said, had been in the employ of the Daves family for 28 years, and who, he said, quite sure didn't know a flicker from an ostrich.

The Court said it was no excuse. The yellowhammer, he declared, as a migratory and insectivorous bird, is a useful individual, who goes about eating bugs that would otherwise injure the bark of trees, and the Court proposed to protect him. Elmer Kiel, son of the Mayor, who accompanied Daves and Duval to the lake, paid the money for the fine and costs.

The Velle features its overlapping windshield. The Ford exhibit is one of those in the former tea room. The American "Smile Car" and the Monroe, a medium-priced four-cylinder, are shown together. The Stearns, Marmon, Pierce Arrow and Packard have luxurious specimens on display.

Camera Included in Equipment. A camera is included in the equipment of the Temple car, which appears in gray, bronze and wine tints. A road compass and a hill gauge are other features.

Seventy-six makes of automobiles are being exhibited. The average has run somewhat over three cars to a make, according to the show management, which has been more pressed for space than in any previous exhibition.

5000 VISIT TRUCK
SHOW AT COLISEUM
ON OPENING NIGHT

Thirty-nine Exhibits of 94 Models Use All Floor Space in the Building.

The attendance last night at the opening of the motor truck or commercial car show, which is being held at the Coliseum, was estimated at more than 5000. Many of the visitors were women.

In the 39 exhibits, which utilize all the floor space of the large building, there are 94 models of different makes on exhibition, ranging from the 1/2-ton light delivery vehicle to the heavy-duty five-ton truck. The lowest priced truck at the show is the Ford, selling at \$588 f. o. b. St. Louis. The Pierce-Arrow is exhibiting the highest priced truck. It being a five-ton product priced at \$5500.

Coliseum Attractively Decorated.
The Coliseum Building has been attractively decorated, the balconies and pillars being adorned with bunting of the show colors and American flags. The ceiling of the building is concealed from view by a large canopy in white with yellow frills. Music is furnished by a band. The truck show will extend through the week, closing at 11 p. m. Saturday. It is also open from 11 a. m. to 11 p. m.

Variety of Colors Offered.
There is Paige one and one-half ton truck chassis on display that is finished in silver gilt with red trimmings; a G. M. C. three-quarter ton truck has a special flare board body finished in a deep red; a three-and-one-half ton Mack truck with a dump body is of a deep green color; Packard has on display a standard three-ton chassis in gray; two Oneda trucks, one of 4500 and the other 7000 pound capacity, are finished in black.

STAR SAYINGS
There's another STAR—in St. Louis. It's our new store—5854 Delmar ave.—dedicated to the important cause of better cleaning and dyeing. Ask your friends about STAR service. Special attention to out-of-town orders.

Money to Loan on Diamonds
CASH PAID FOR DIAMONDS
As High as \$1000 a Karat.
Frankel's Cash, 8th & Pine

FRENCH GUN ARRIVES
AT WASHINGTON U.

Six-Inch Cannon Will Be Used
in Training Coast Artillery
Students.

A 155-millimeter (6-inch) gun, one of the most successful types of French cannon used during the war, is being installed on Francis Field, Washington University, this afternoon for use in training the student coast artillery unit there. The gun and the 10-ton tractor which draws it arrived yesterday afternoon.

Capt. F. P. Hardaway, commander of the unit, said today it was not probable that a blank charge would ever be fired here, as the conclusion likely would break all the windows in the neighborhood. However, the members of the unit will be taught to go through all the motions of firing, without a charge in the gun.

The barrel of the gun is 15 feet long. It is mounted on a steel carriage with four rubber-tired wheels, and can be drawn about wherever it is wanted. It is probable, however, that it will be stationed permanently on Francis Field, near Pennsylvania avenue, in such a position as not to interfere with the playing of athletic games on the field.

The tractor was found to have several parts broken, and it may take a month to repair it. Meantime, the gun will be drawn from the Rock Island switch near the university to its emplacement, by a heavy truck. It weighs 10 tons, and the length of gun and carriage over all is 19 feet and 5 inches.

Range finding instruments, for use in training the unit, arrived some time ago. Capt. Hardaway requisitioned the equipment from the War Department.

Peace With Bulgaria Declared.
By the Associated Press.
PARIS, Feb. 17.—An official decree was issued yesterday ratifying the peace treaty with Bulgaria.

completely in white with black trimmings. An Oldsmobile three-quarter ton light delivery truck has a body in the natural wood finish and varnished with nickel trimmings. The hood and fenders are in black. The Dorris exhibit shows a two-ton inclosed stake body in black with gold colored trimmings. Three Garford trucks of different sizes are in beaver brown. The Stewart line of trucks are in deep red, and the All-American and Nash trucks in orange. There are but two four-wheel drive trucks at the show. They are the Nash Quad and Duplex.

The Autocar company is exhibiting for the first time a new model truck with a capacity given as 18,000 pounds over all, including weight of load, body and chassis.

Trucks Made in St. Louis.
Trucks that are made in St. Louis that are shown for the first time this year are the Luedinghaus and Eagle. Both lines occupy space on the west side of the building where each has on display two chassis models. The Traffic truck, which is built to carry a 4000-pound load, is shown in three body styles. The Dorris Motors Corporation has two trucks on display, one being a 3 1/2-ton model with stake body, the other a 2-ton with a similar body.

A Sale of Swope
Women's Shoes

\$3.95

Heretofore \$7.50 to \$15

\$3.95 is a price not normally associated with Swope footwear. The women of St. Louis will recognize in this offer a very unusual and very opportune buying chance. Only incomplete lines and sizes.

Black kid button and lace Shoes—black kid, calf and patent leather Shoes, with kid and cloth tops, high and low heels—gray kid and suede boots.

\$6 to \$10 Slippers of white, pink and blue satin, of bronze kid and cloth of silver.

No Refunds or Exchanges
Swope Shoe Co.
OLIVE AT 10th

VERDICT OF ACCIDENT
IN DEATH OF TEACHER

Woman Killed by Train Said to
Have Smeared Unaware of
Tooting of Whistle.

After hearing testimony of the engineer and fireman of the Rock Island train which struck her, a coroner's jury in Clayton last night returned a verdict of accident in the death of Miss Edna Abbott, 49 years old, instructor in Latin at Mary Institute, who was killed Sunday at 9:10 a. m. as she was leaving the western of two north entrances of the Washington University campus to go to the University street car line on her way to teach a Sunday school class.

The testimony of W. J. Cowan, 1392A Shawnu place, engineer, and Joseph Schick, Eldon, Mo., fireman, was that their train approached from the east on a straight track, down-grade at about 25 miles an hour. The fireman had started ringing his bell at Skinker road, three blocks away and as the train drew nearer, the engineer blew the whistle as for a road, being aware of the custom of many persons to cross the tracks at that point, although the crossing is only a path.

At this time, the engineer observed Miss Abbott standing, apparently in deep thought, on the steps leading down the embankment which bounds the campus. She appeared unaware of the approach of the train and stopped down from the steps, coming nearer to the tracks. The engineer said that he began blowing his whistle in toots and applied the emergency brakes, but the train did not stop on a straight track, not stepped on to the tracks.

A professor at the university told the coroner after the inquest that he and 20 students, who were at breakfast near the scene of the accident, remarked the tooting of the whistle and heard the application of the brakes.

The body of Miss Abbott, today was sent to Springfield, Mo., her former home.

SAYS EFFORT IS BEING MADE TO
UNDERMINE CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Speaker Declares Abandonment
Would Mean "Godless
Education."

A dinner last night in Hotel Jefferson for 25 spiritual directors of the Catholic Knights of America was attended by about 300 members. The organization has 49 branches and 3500 members in St. Louis.

The chief speaker, A. E. Ganahl, State president of the organization, declared that an effort was being made to undermine the Catholic religion by propaganda to make compulsory the attendance of Catholic children in public schools. "Abandonment of parochial schools would mean a Godless education," he declared.

Ganahl also deprecated what he termed "British propaganda," bringing about a closer alliance of England and America. He used a term "redcoats," which he defined as "that class who would rather be Britons than Americans."

AUTO SHOW NOTES

A meeting and luncheon for visiting dealers will be held tomorrow noon, at the Planters Hotel. The principal speakers will be Edward B. Jordan, president of the Jordan Motor Car Co. of Cleveland and Harry B. Hawes, president of the Federated Roads Council. Jordan recently returned from a trip through Europe, where he studied conditions, and he is expected to tell of his observations. With his executive staff, he recently compiled statistics showing the value of the motor car to all sections of the country. He asserts the territory of which St.

Louis is the logical distributing center leads the world in development possibilities through the use of motor cars.

Many persons on the streets last night were attracted by an Essex car bearing a big white arrow with the two letters SX. The engine hood was of glass and the motor, being electrically lighted, could be viewed in full operation. The Hudson-Frampton Motor Car Co., Essex distributors, is inviting the public to stop it at any time and take a ride.

One of the first gatherings for visiting dealers will be held tonight by the DeLuxe Automobile Co., P. L.

Emerson, sales manager of the Olds Motor Works, will address the visiting Oldsmobile dealers and after a banquet a motion picture, showing the factory in operation, will be exhibited.

C. L. Fox, sales manager of the Saxon Motor Car Corporation, held a sales conference yesterday at the St. Louis Motor Car Co.'s quarters. In outlining the sales policy for the coming year he was assisted by Geo. W. Hipple, merchandise counsel for the McKunkin Advertising Co.

A new idea in color combination is shown this year in the Westcott open cars at the show. A two-toned

effect is carried out by having the upper part of the hood and a ribbon strip extending entirely around the body of a lighter shade than the remainder of the car. It is a distinctly new idea, exclusive with the Westcott and accentuates the streamlines of the car.

The Marmon is showing a refinement which many expect will soon be almost universally adopted. All of the instruments on the dash are assembled in the center of the board and under a single glass.

The first of the new series of closed cars of the Winton reached St. Louis just in time to be included in the exhibit. The two models shown are a four-passenger sport sedan and a four-passenger coupe. A limousine, which was to be in the exhibit, failed to arrive before the opening.

The salon idea is being featured by the Newell Motor Car Co., the Hudson-Frampton Motor Car Co. and the Lewis Automobile Co. These three companies have their exhibits on the Broadway side of the second floor and have called the corridor the Broadway salon. In this space is shown the Hudson, Essex, Chandler, Cleveland, Stearns-Knight and Paige.

Only one car at the show is equipped with a mechanical gear shifting device. The Premier has a standard equipment, the Cutler-Hammer electric gear shift. The change from one speed to another is accomplished by pressing a button and releasing the clutch.

TRUCK SHOW NOTES

The new 4-cylinder five-ton Autocar is being shown in St. Louis for the first time this week at the Coliseum. One of these trucks passed through St. Louis last summer on a transcontinental test tour. The model retains a great many of the features which are exclusive to the Autocar. There has been no change in the rear axle construction. The engine is placed under the seat and cab as in other Autocar models.

An exhibit which attracted much attention was the new model Onida trucks. It is the only combination of gasoline and electric trucks at the show. The two chassis exhibited are both gas trucks, but the chassis units of the electric model are displayed. The entire line is of new design and has many unusual and distinctive features which proved very interesting to those mechanically inclined.

Four of the 10 dump trucks at the Coliseum will be on the streets next week. Each bears its owner's name and has been loaned for the show. The Mack-International Motor Co. is showing the 2½-ton dump of the Bull Dog General Hauling Co., the Federal Truck Co. the 2-ton dump of the Tierman Coal Co., the General Motor Truck Co.

the 5-ton dump of the Missouri Portland Cement Co. and the Autocar the 2-ton Granite City Lime & Cement Co.'s truck.

The Federal Truck Co. is showing the only tractor at the Coliseum. It is a light duty model and is a ton and a half chassis with a very short wheelbase, capable of a 5-ton trailer. It can be used with either a fifth wheel trailer or with standard four-wheel trailers.

ILLINOIS BOY SCOUT MISSING

Treasurer of Moro Unit Spoke of Joining Navy.

Thomas J. Elliott of Moro, Ill., today requested the police to aid in the search for his son, Melvin Elliott, 14 years old, who disappeared from his home last Wednesday.

The boy was in the eighth grade of the Moro public schools and was treasurer of the Moro Boy Scouts' organization. He left behind him \$13 belonging to this organization.

According to his father the boy has several times been discovered of late measuring himself and noting his weight carefully and when asked why he was doing this had replied that he intended to join the navy. However no record of enlistment for anyone answering his description is to be found at local recruiting offices. His father says the boy has no bad habits and had been planning on going away to school next year, had about \$10 when he left home.

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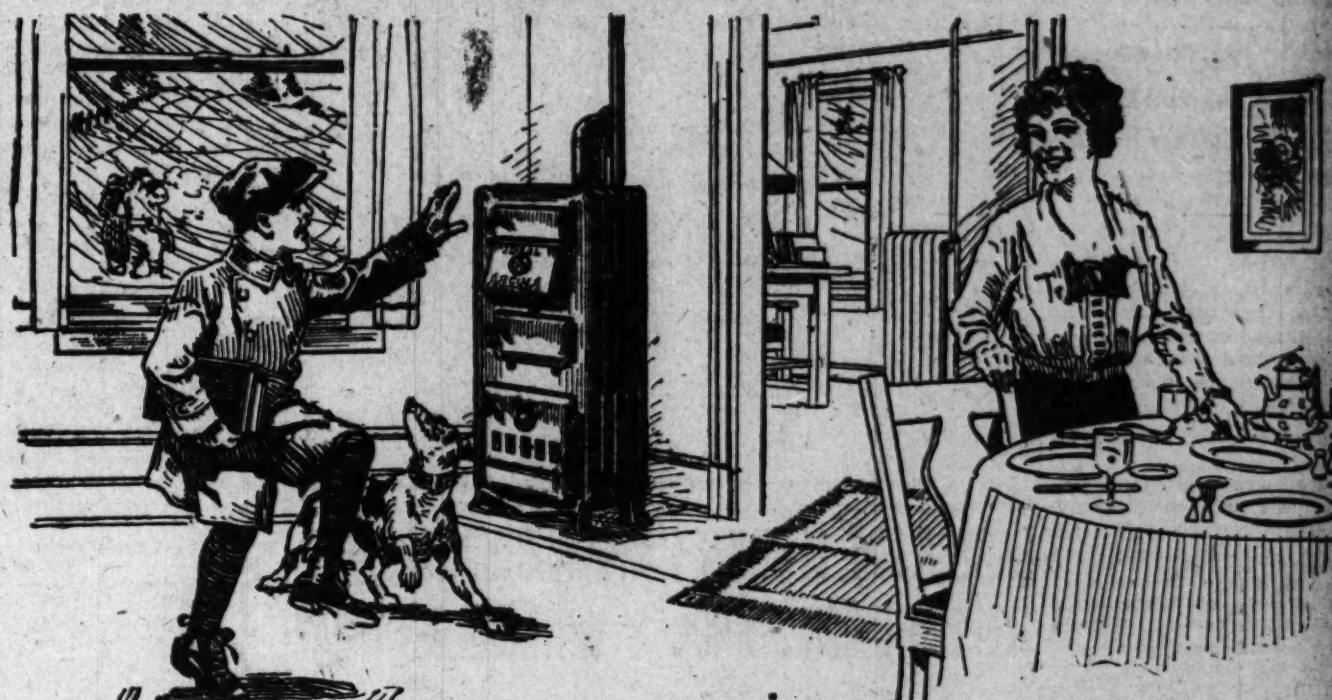
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The IDEAL bargain in heating



There is always welcome, cheer and comfort in a home warmed in every room, nook and corner by IDEAL-Arcola Hot Water Radiator Heating.

New IDEAL-Arcola Radiator-Boiler

This new and wonderful outfit delivers the pleasantest, health-protecting warmth throughout all your rooms, day and night, all winter long. If freezing days at home have shown you how comfortless and fuel-wasteful your present heating is, consider at once these unequalled benefits and economies guaranteed by IDEAL-Arcola outfits—

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Of tricotine, Poirer twill and smart velour checks are these modish Suits fashioned in a style selection unusually complete. Boxcoats, Eton and Bolero jackets are quite prominent, as well as accordion pleats, neat buttons, narrow belts, novel pockets.

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Rub it on each night and have smooth, soft, velvety skin through all the bad weather.

This old, reliable remedy and household first-aid has been on the market for twenty-five years. Millions indicate their faith in White Cloverine Salve.

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When purchasing towelings ask the salesman to show you STARTEX and see

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STARTEX has linen woven in both ways to give it a real linen surface. When used it leaves no lint or emulsion and is vastly more absorbent than a cotton dish towel.

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Made stamped on fabric. Sold by good quality mercantiles.

SENATOR THOMAS ATTACKS PARTS OF TREATY AS UNJUST

Declares in Upper House Debate on Subject That Reparation and Territorial Features Are Not Justified.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Urging the Senate to "Judge the treaty of peace with Germany by the light of history and test it by the principles of international justice," Senator Thomas, Democrat, declared today in the Senate that the document was an effectual disregard by the United States and the allies of the general peace terms which Germany was induced to accept when she signed the armistice.

Reviewing the many speeches of President Wilson during the war, and notes to Germany just prior to the armistice, Senator Thomas said they constituted a binding agreement to treat Germany fairly, and did not justify the reparation and territorial features of the treaty as finally drawn up.

"The armistice became a fact," he said, "only because a contract, a covenant, had been made, mutually binding upon the United States and its allies, to observe, in making the peace, the principles which the President had set forth and which the allies, in accepting them, had made significant by modifying in two points, as to the freedom of the seas, and the necessity for indemnity from Germany for damage done by her during the war by sea or land, and from the air."

Reaction in Allied Countries.
"The statements of the allies unquestionably intended to stand by the agreement. Unfortunately, the British Premier appealed to the country, as they were emerging from a conflict which had shaken the British Empire to its foundations, and put the mark of death on the door of every family in the land. The populace was moved by a demand for revenge, misallied justice, and Lloyd George bent beneath the storm. The election meant virtual repudiation of the agreement."

"France, smarting under the same sore afflictions, reacted in the same fashion. When the President entered the council at Versailles the atmosphere was charged with every feeling and passion except that for justice."

The first effect of the changed front he described, Senator Thomas said, was the taking of the Saar Basin from Germany.

Short Course in INCOME AND EXCESS PROFITS TAX

This is a 1920 copyright course of instruction covering all of the legal and accounting points concerning the filing and adjustment of returns.

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Every man who makes out an Income Tax report, or who assists an individual or corporation in making out such a report, will find it well worth his while to spend the next two weeks in mastering the first half of this course.

It is available in twenty lessons, the first ten of which deal with the Income Tax law and the filing of Income Tax reports. The last ten lessons deal with problems which will arise after reports are filed and with the review of previous returns.

This is not a service or a guide, but a complete course of home study prepared by eminent specialists on the Income and Excess Profits Tax. The principal contributor to the course was Wm. T. Sunley, Jr., C.P.A., President of the Michigan Society of Certified Public Accountants. Mr. Sunley is one of the foremost Income Tax Experts in the country, having been engaged almost continuously for the past two years in filing and amending returns.

The text matter is written in condensed form, primarily designed for the busy accountant. Every angle of the tax problem is clarified. All laws, rulings and decisions are treated fully. We require the student to secure "Regulation 45" and forms for reference purposes, since we do not "pad" our lessons with material which may be obtained free of charge from Government sources.

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Fancy Outdoor Satins

Special, \$3.50 Yard

White ground with floral designs in purple, green, black and blue. Come 40 inches wide. Ideal for all outdoor wear, such as skirts and sports jackets. Price, \$3.50 the yard.

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In the selected gown quality. The kind that does not rough up in wear. Drapes perfectly—has a beautiful satin mirror finish. Come in the standard shades. An ideal quality fabric, 40 inches wide. Priced \$3.95 the yard.

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(Main Floor—Squares 7 and 9.)

The February Sale of

Silk Petticoats

THE Petticoat that will be worn with the Spring Suit or Frock should be as dainty and new as the rest of the outfit. A sale offering such good buying opportunities as this one, will be noted by every woman who needs a new Silk Underskirt. We made special purchases for the event and can assure you that the values are worth while.

Bloomers of Silk-and-Lisle Faille, \$3.98

Knee or ankle length Bloomers, with shirred cuffs—black, taupe, gray, Copenhagen or navy blue—special, \$3.98 pair. (Please do not ask us to fill mail or telephone orders on these Bloomers.)

Special at \$6.98

Petticoats, silk jersey, taffeta and silk jersey tops, ruffles pleated, hemstitched and tucked. Come in all the newest Spring shades and black.

Special at \$4.98

Petticoats of white wash Habutai, double panel front and back, straight effect, with hemstitching and small ruffle.

Petticoats for Stout Figures

At \$4.98

Petticoats with heatherblom tops, deep flounce of taffeta silk. Come in solid colors, changeable and black, excellent garment for wear.

At \$6.98

Petticoats of excellent quality taffeta silk, with flounce, pleated and tucked. Come in changeable, solid colors and black.

At \$11.95

Petticoats of extra heavy quality Milanese Jersey top, flounce of satin or of all messaline, in many different colors and black. (Second Floor.)

The February Sale of

Silk Gloves

A SALE that may rightly be named "remarkable," because every pair of Gloves is of first quality and is offered at a lower than usual price. The Gloves are the discontinued numbers and broken lots from our best glove makers—that is the reason for their very low prices.

There are Gloves for men and women and every pair has double finger tips—staple styles and colors as well as novelties are shown.

Women's Short Gloves

Special, \$1.15

The colors are white, brown, tan, black, silver, pongee, gray, gold, navy, black with white and white with black. The Gloves have three or four rows of embroidery on the backs—done in white, black and self color. The same shades are to be had in Gloves with bandlettes and folds of silk around the wrist to match the embroidered backs. The sale price is, special, pr. \$1.15

Women's Silk Gloves

Special, \$1.50

Heavy Milanese Silk Gloves, in white, gray and pongee, with heavily embroidered backs, in two-tone effects of black-and-white. Double finger tips. Two clasps.

Men's Silk Gloves

Special, 85c

Milanese or Tricot Silk Gloves, in gray or chambray color. These are unusual values and men will be quick to appreciate the fine savings offered. The Gloves are just the kind men will wear this Spring—special, 85c (Main Floor.)

Special Offerings of Silk Dresses

\$25 \$29.75 \$35 \$39.75

Bouffant and ruffled, youthful and of taffeta—such are the Frocks assembled for the first Spring Dress Sale we have held. Taffeta is the most popular Spring fabric and just such styles as these will be shown for Spring wear.

The Dresses are of navy blue or black taffeta. One has a pointed bodice, a narrow gold ribbon sash and a ruffled skirt, another has pointed wing drapes at the hips and is trimmed in braid, still another has very decided hip ruffles. Quite a few are straight in line, becoming to the woman who likes long lines.

Every Dress in the sale is a good value. The prices are \$25, \$29.75, \$35 and \$39.75.

A Small Group of

Georgette Dresses

\$29.75 and \$35

Georgette Dresses in white and the light pastel shades are included in this Dress sale.

(Third Floor.)



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Smart High-Grade Winter Coats

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Final reductions of remaining high-priced Winter Coats! Positively the last call on these extremely desirable models. Including the season's style successes that you can wear for many months to come, and next Winter, too!

Wool Velours
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Silk lined and warmly interlined are these wonders—flared, yoked, plaited, tucked and belted backs—novel pockets, collars of self material in different effects, smart button trimmings.

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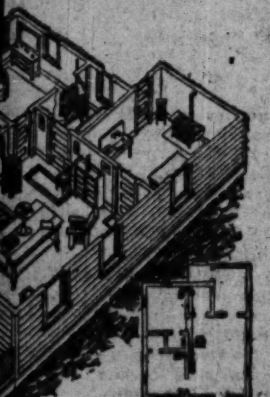
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GERHARDT STORE ROBBER TELLS OF TALKING TO POLICE

Confession Relates How He Mingled With Patrolmen Few Minutes After Chief O'Brien Was Shot.

Armin A. Ellerbrake, 26 years old, of 1510 Destrehan street, in a confession to the police today, told how he mingled with the cops after he had taken part in the attempt to rob H. H. Gerhardt's jewelry store, 3224 Olive street, Oct. 21 last, and a few minutes after Chief of Police O'Brien was shot in the neck while pursuing two of the robbers. The chief recovered from his wound.

Ellerbrake, in his confession, said he went to the jewelry store with Joe Henry, who is held, and Henry Carr, who has never been captured, but he denied he was with the others when Chief O'Brien was shot. He said that after the robbery he ran east on Olive street to Compton avenue, and entered an L-shaped gangway which led back to Olive street. Just as he reached the Olive street entrance to the gangway, he said, two policemen in uniform came east. "I was scared," he said, "but I thought mingling with the cops was a good way to throw off suspicion, so I asked them what was the matter, and they said three men had tried to rob a jewelry store."

Hid in Cemetery.
"The policemen walked on down Olive street and I decided to stay close to them. I followed them. They turned south on Cardinal avenue and I followed them to Market street, where they stopped. I went up to them and asked questions about the robbery. A Market street car came along and I rode west to Taylor avenue and north to Florissant avenue. I went into Bellefontaine cemetery and stayed there two hours. I knew they wouldn't look for me in a cemetery. When I got a newspaper and saw that the chief had been shot I was scared stiff. I went to Baden and jumped on a freight train and beat my way to Mexico, Mo. I stayed there three days and came back to St. Louis. I met Carr here. He didn't exactly tell me he shot Chief O'Brien, but he said to me: 'If I had known he was the chief I wouldn't have shot.'"

Arrested on Way to St. Louis.
Ellerbrake was mentioned in Henry's confession. Recently it was learned that he spent much of his time in Venice and Granite City, but occasionally came to St. Louis. He was arrested Saturday night while crossing the McKinley Bridge in a street car. In his confession he said he had served a four-year penitentiary term for a boxcar robbery.

Ellerbrake gave the police information on which Raymond J. Renard, a chauffeur, of 1830 Benton street, was arrested yesterday. Renard was mentioned in Henry's confession, as having driven an automobile in which robbers drove to Walter Voss' jewelry store, 106 Florissant avenue, which was robbed Oct. 24 last. He also was mentioned as the driver for the men who took part in the payroll robbery at the Green's car wheel Co. office, 3000 North Broadway, Nov. 5 last.

Renard was arrested in connection with the gang killing of Charles Ryan at Compton and Chouteau avenues Oct. 3 and jumped a \$500 bond on which he was released at that time. It was incorrectly stated in the Home Edition of the Post-Dispatch that Ellerbrake was arrested in this connection.

WOMEN INVITE THREE G. O. P. CANDIDATES TO SPEAK HERE

More Approved by State Committee Which Works for Uninstructed Delegates.

The three candidates who are now considered in the lead for the Republican nomination for President are to come here for inspection by the Republican Women's Club of St. Louis at meetings in the Odeon between March 15 and June 1, according to plans announced today by Miss Grace Semple, president of the organization.

Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood is expected to be the first speaker, and it is probable he will appear at a meeting March 15. Miss Semple said he had accepted the club's invitation, but that the date had not been definitely fixed. She was expecting to hear from him today, she said.

Gov. Lowden of Illinois has been invited to appear at the second meeting some time in the last two weeks in April and Senator Harding of Ohio in May. Miss Semple said the club had assurances that all would speak in St. Louis under the club's auspices.

The plans of the club have the endorsement of the Republican organization, which is in complete charge of all the district conventions throughout the State for the selection of uninstructed delegates to the Republican national convention.

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Kings Theater, Feb. 22d

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have notified managers of the various candidates that any who comes into Missouri seeking instructions

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Women should supply next Winter's Shoe requirements in this sale. The saving makes it worth while to buy for future requirements. We have never before offered such a Shoe opportunity. So staple are the styles, and so desirable the Shoes in every way, that we know thrifty women will instantly recognize the values. We have not quoted comparative prices because when we offer our entire stock of High Shoes at \$10 a pair, women will know without being told how much the savings amount to; and when you get here you can see for yourself.

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Extra salespeople will be ready to give you attention, but if you find the department a little overcrowded, kindly remember that this is an unprecedented sale. As nearly as it is possible we will maintain the usual good Vandervoort service. You will find it convenient to use the elevators on the Ninth street side for easy access to the Shoe Shop.

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An Open Letter to

Stylish Females

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 17, 1920.

Dear Stylish Women:

Today I have some interesting news for you all. It pertains to your wearing apparel for the coming Spring.

There is to be in this city shortly a gigantic pageant of youth, beauty, style and color that you all will want to witness.

For your benefit there has been arranged a Fashion Show in which will be displayed all of the latest as well as some new creations in garments. These are now being made from exclusive designs furnished by The House of Finklestein.

They will consist of walking dresses, sporting garb, afternoon frocks, club dresses, lounging gowns. In fact, all of the predominating styles for the Spring will be exhibited right before your eyes.

These will be displayed by beautiful and shapely models, selected from a preferred list of young women who are experts in this line of work. All of the requisites, such as grace, beauty and poise, the invaluable aids to proper displaying of women's wear, are possessed by these comely young women.

And for your pleasure this feature will be a part of the programme at Kings Theater next week, when, beginning Sunday, the Paramount-Artcraft picture of "Everywoman" will be presented.

When Director George Melford made this elaborate photoplay, he dressed all his characters in the latest Parisian styles then obtainable. More than twenty girls appear in the picture itself, and each of them displays the latest word in feminine apparel.

But we wanted to show these styles to you in real life as well as in reel life, and that is why, or one reason why, we have arranged this immense Fashion Display for you and all of St. Louis.

The other reason is that we have decided to give this city just as much as any of the other big cities give theatergoers, and nothing will be left undone to carry out this promise to you.

So that you might gain an insight to the kind of entertainment that we are prepared to provide you with, favor us with a visit next week, while "Everywoman" is being exhibited.

Sincerely yours,
C. L. WINSTON.

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EXODUS TO RESORTS DEPLETES SOCIETY

Late Winter Trips of Belles and Debutantes Ate Up South and West, Largely.

AN unusual number of debutantes and belles have joined the ranks of winter travelers this year, some having gone to quiet places for a rest after a strenuous social season of over three months, and others finding it too dull here at this season sought a change with more excitement. California and Florida, with their warm, sunny climates are usually the most popular winter resorts, but quite a number have chosen the East for their trips. Among those sojourning there are Miss Lucy Ludington, who is visiting Miss Margaret Fraker in Plainfield, N. J.; Miss Katherine Scott, who is visiting in Buffalo; Miss Frances Carter, in Cambridge, Mass.; and Miss Katherine Corlis, in New York. Miss Stella Garrett will depart for the East tomorrow. Miss Marian Francis is in Charleston, S. C.; Miss Irene Goddard is at Aiken, S. C.; Misses Lida Crawford, Marion Bannister, Ruth Culver and Jeanette Huttig are at Asheville, N. C.; Miss May Cabanne will spend next month in New Orleans and Pass Christian, Miss. Miss Ada Johnson, Miss Francis Garrison and Miss Mildred Sharpe are at Palm Beach, Fla.; Miss Nancy Bates is at Ormond, Fla.; Miss Audrey Faust, Miss Charlotte Lawrin, and Miss Georgia Elliot are in California and Miss Eleanor Stanard will depart soon for the West Coast. Settled at different Florida resorts are Miss Frances Woods, Marie and Cordelia Gross, Dorothy Claggett and Elizabeth Ballard. Miss Eunice and Betty Hodgman and Miss Josephine Houls are among the winter visitors at Honolulu. Miss Emily Kauffman, Miss Catherine McCreery and Miss Jane Bemis will spend the late winter touring the Orient.

Social Items

Mrs. Frank R. Tate of 5454 Delmar boulevard announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Doris T. Cabanne, to Calvin Nathaniel Payne, son of F. H. Payne of Erie, Pa. The ceremony took place last Monday morning, Feb. 9, in the chapel of Grace Church, Cleveland. The bride received her education at Mary Institute and at a French school at New Rochelle, N. Y., and Mr. Payne attended Princeton University. They will reside in Detroit, and Mrs. Payne, who is here now, will visit her mother a short time before going to join her husband.

Mrs. Daniel C. McCune of 4917 Pershing avenue was hostess at a small bridge party today in compliment to Mrs. Marshall G. Cochran of Pittsburgh, who is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Judge, 5464 Hawthorne boulevard.

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Ehlers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Williams Ehlers of 5374 Clemons avenue, and Frank Cavanaugh of the Shadell Hotel, was solemnized at 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning at St. Charles, Mo. Mr. and Mrs. George Kinsland attended the young couple. They departed for New York immediately after the ceremony.

The Congregation Sons of Israel will give an informal dance at Trimp's Hall, Taylor and Delmar, Sunday evening, Feb. 22, in commemoration of their first anniversary. The proceeds are for the benefit of the building fund.

A "500" party was given St. Valentine's day by Miss Virginia Rice, 5719 Page boulevard. The guests were Misses Helen Walsh, Theresa Shea, Audrey Ryan, Genevieve McElroy and Bonnie Gibbons.

The meeting of the Parliamentary Law class of the Council of Jewish Women for tomorrow morning at the Temple of Israel has been postponed.

Mrs. Fred C. Lake Jr., 4360 Westminster place, was hostess this afternoon at a tea in honor of Mrs. Cordelia Morris Sharp of Philadelphia, Pa., who has been spending the winter here. Assisting the hostess in serving and receiving were Misses F. C. Lake, Duncan Meier, Cecil Gamble of Cincinnati, who is the guest of

Mrs. Meier, Bladell Shapleigh, Thomas Anderson, George Norton, Grandson Royston, R. T. Sheiton, D. N. Beach and Misses Margaret Shapleigh, Louise Lake and Louise Nugent. Mrs. Sharp expects to return to Philadelphia this spring.

The meeting of the St. Louis Council of the National Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations, which was to be held Thursday, Feb. 20, has been postponed indefinitely.

The seniors and juniors of St. Alphonse High School entertained with an informal dance at Boehmer's Feb. 9. Miss Florence Bascom and Miss Ella Devany acted as hostesses.

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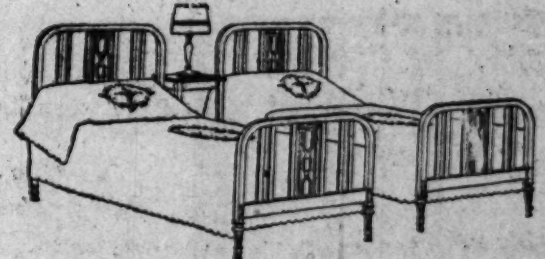
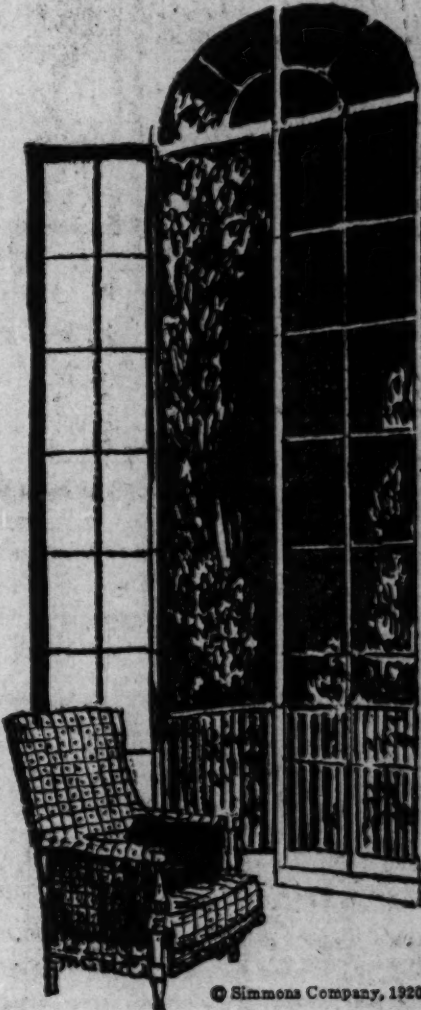
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**LENTEN SERVICES BEGIN
AT NOON TOMORROW**

Catholics and Episcopalians Will
Hold Meetings Daily Until
Easter, April 4.

Lent begins tomorrow, Ash
Wednesday, and continues until Pas-
ter Sunday, April 4.

Monday services, held for Cath-
olics at the Old Cathedral, Second
and Walnut streets, and by the
Protestant Episcopal Church, in the
Kilbuck Building, Tenth and Locust
streets, on the ground floor, will be-
gin tomorrow, and will continue on
week days through the Lenten sea-
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Archbishop Glennon will speak at
the opening service in the old
Cathedral beginning at 12:30 p. m.,
which will follow the celebration of
low mass. He will continue his ad-
dress through the first week of
Lent, and Father M. J. O'Connor,
S. J., will preach for the second
week. Later speakers at these meet-
ings will be Fathers Sker, Browne,
Longman and Coffey.

Bishop Tuttle will speak on "Love
and Serving God in Body, Mind
and Soul" at the opening Episcopal
service, which will be held from
12:05 to 12:30 p. m. The chaplain
for the first week will be the Rev.
B. T. Kemmerer.

Ash Wednesday services will be
held in the chapel of Christ Church
Cathedral at 7, 9 and 10 o'clock
and evening prayer, with sermon by
Dean Davis at 8 p. m.

The downtown noonday services
of the Lutheran Church will begin
next Monday, in the American The-
ater, and will be held on week days
except Saturday, the concluding
services being on Good Friday, April
3. Pastors of St. Louis churches,
visiting ministers and educators,
will be the speakers.

**TWELFTH STREET WIDENING
BILL SIGNED BY THE MAYOR**

Most Already Prepared Shows 175
Pieces of Property to Be
Condemned.

Mayor Kiel today signed the bill
for the widening of Twelfth (High)
street, and of the northern connect-
ing route out Fifteenth street, form-
ing a 190-foot thoroughfare from
Washington avenue to Palm street,
to connect with a projected high-
way of the same width out Natural
Bridge avenue to the northwest
manufacturing district.

The bill was passed by the Board
of Aldermen two weeks ago. City
Counselor Dause said at that time
that he would try to speed up the
legal steps following the enactment
of the bill, which usually make the
exclusion of such a measure spread
over a period of several years. Dause
said today that he had completed a
list of the property to be condemned
in the widening, and that there are
175 pieces. Descriptions of these
tracts will be prepared, and the work
of getting the proceedings into court,
and before commissions, will be hast-
ened, he said.

**COUNTY GAS CO. ASKS FOR
SLIGHT INCREASE IN RATES**

League of Municipalities Considering
Claim That Revenue Does
Not Meet Costs.

The St. Louis County Gas Co. yes-
terday asked the League of Muni-
cipalities, composed of eight St. Louis
County municipalities, if it would
agree to a slight increase in the
price of gas in the county. The
price is \$1.30 per 1000 feet and the
company submitted a statement of
its business to support an assertion
that it needs more revenue to meet
increased maintenance costs.

Specific Amount Suggested.
Towns in the county organized the
league to confer with public utility
companies on questions of this sort
in an effort to reach agreement be-
fore the companies go to the Public
Service Commission. Each town is
represented by its Mayor, attorney
and engineer.

A committee of engineers was
named to take up the gas company's
application and report next Tues-
day.

ACQUITTED OF BURGLARY CHARGE

Elmer Luckett Had Been Accused of
Robbing Tailoring Shop.

Elmer Luckett of 4045 Bell ave-
nue was acquitted of a charge of
burglary and larceny by a jury in
Circuit Judge Garesche's Court yes-
terday afternoon. He had been in-
dicted jointly with two others on a
charge of robbing the ladies' tail-
oring shop conducted by Mrs. Mar-
garet Pendergast at 320 North
Grand avenue of \$1660 worth of
suits and dresses on Sept. 13 last.
Those indicted with Luckett were
Cecile Chelick, 3424 Washington
avenue, and Harry Dillon, 2814 1/2
Franklin avenue. Both pleaded
guilty on Jan. 21 last and sentence
was deferred. Chelick died several
weeks ago. Dillon was sentenced to
four years in prison by Judge Gares-
che yesterday.

GERMAN GIFT PACKAGE RULE

Parcels Sent for Personal Use Must
Be Marked on Wrappers.

Packages containing articles for
personal use of persons in Germany
sent as gifts through the parcel post
must be marked "Gift Package" on
the wrapper and on the customs tags,
according to information received by
Postmaster Ralph. The order is to
assist German authorities in deter-
mining what merchandise may be
imported without import license, gift
packages having been exempted from
German customs.

Certain foodstuffs are not included
in the regulations and are not ex-
empt under the gift package rulings.

**FRENCH STEAMER CARRYING
141 PERSONS LOST IN OCEAN**

PARIS, Feb. 17.—The Minister of
the Colonies today issued a note in
which he stated the French steamer,
Ville d'Alger, which left Reunion Is-
land, in the Indian Ocean, off Mada-
gascar, Feb. 1, with 91 passengers
and 50 members of her crew, has

been lost and that it is believed that,
except for 23 persons who were
picked up from a whaleboat, all on
board perished. The disaster was
due to a fire.

Montana Rare Liquor Prescriptions.
By the Associated Press.

HELENA, Mont., Feb. 17.—Pa-
tients cannot be given prescriptions
calling for intoxicating liquors in

Montana. Attorney-General Ford liquor for human consumption is Federal ruling permitting its use as
ruled. Distribution of alcoholic barred in Montana, in spite of the medicine, he held.

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7 O'coats that were \$30	NOW	5 Suits that were \$45	NOW
17 O'coats that were \$35	\$21.65	9 Suits that were \$50	\$31.65
11 O'coats that were \$40		13 Suits that were \$55	
12 O'coats that were \$45	NOW	6 Suits that were \$60	NOW
17 O'coats that were \$50	\$31.65	10 Suits that were \$65	\$41.65
19 O'coats that were \$55		4 Suits that were \$75	
10 O'coats that were \$60	NOW	4 Suits that were \$80	
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Our entire stock of Silk Neckwear has been grouped at one great spe-
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\$12.00 Reefers \$9.00	\$17.50 Blouses \$11.60	\$10.00 Sweaters \$7.50
\$16.50 Reefers \$12.40	\$22.50 Blouses \$14.95	\$12.50 Sweaters \$9.35

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Louise M. Wahl 4818A Warsaw
Harry H. Davidson San Antonio, Tex.
Goldie Wood 4818 Cumber
Charles E. Stewart 4848 Evans
Grace M. Lukens 4818 Nashville
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Pave J. Davis 2212 Benton
Edward C. Stone 2929 Laclede
Lidia Alice Smith 2144 N. Sarah
Earl A. McHown Jefferson Barracks, Mo.
Ruby Bellamy Grand Chalmers
Rahelo J. Moravcs 2906 Washington
Myrtle K. McDowell 1803 Gratian
Earl D. Montfort 1894 Cleveland
Hazel M. Beers 2841 Pacific, Ill.
Harbert F. Beers Paris, Tex.
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George K. Frankos 2910 Westminster
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Coleman Lee Nichols Humboldt, Tenn.
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Edgar G. Rohlander Kansas City, Mo.
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Irvine Stephenson Pawnee, Ill.
Anna M. Harris 1475 Arlington
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Mrs. Marquerite H. Blake Houston, Tex.
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Mrs. Bettie Connors 2928 O'Fallon
William F. Bessling 2928 O'Fallon
Leta M. Morris 2928 O'Fallon
Thomas Harvey 1112 Locust
Aurea Halliday 1112 Locust
Rueana H. Abel 1507 Dearborn
Anna Fildhaus 1542 N. Florissant
Ervin W. Carl 1542 N. Florissant
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Marvne Winbaum 1541 Cabanne
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Mrs. Lillian Gans Ferguson, Mo.
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Walter George Schulte Sigel, Ill.
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Ellen R. Walsh 1408 Newhouse
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C. and J. Schmidt, 4035 Grove.
H. and D. Fleming, 4218 Holly.
H. and D. Davis, 281 N. Broadway.
H. and K. Quante, 1837 N. Eighteenth.
A. and F. Henderson, 2017 N. Twelfth.
M. and R. Saltzman, 2720 Thomas.
H. and J. Brownbridge, 114 N. Lettingwell.
M. and D. Rose, 1416 Francis.
F. and J. Phillips, 8446 Glenora.
B. and J. Graham, 2022 Glasgow.
J. and A. Dierker, 2022 Elliot.
L. and M. Crawford, 8903 Chippewa.
A. and L. Mago, 1128 Bessie.
O. and S. Kistner, 29 Franklin.
W. and F. Green, 2024 S. Twelfth.
F. and R. Rippen, 4145 Fenrose.
J. and M. Davis, 4115 Louis.
J. and M. Pares, 2102 S. Eleventh.
C. and M. Martin, 1928 S. Ninth.
F. and L. Johnson, 8448A S. Grand.
H. and J. Morgan, 781 Red.
M. and F. Shagun, 4217 Page.
V. and A. Wynn, 410 Maryland.
A. and V. Miller, 4014A stacks.
C. and J. Miller, 4014A stacks.
J. and L. Leberry, 4014A stacks.
F. and A. Vassal, 4100 Garfield.
J. and A. Brownstein, 1015 N. 17th.
L. and L. Giesse, 1922 Carr.
F. and S. Foster, 2825 Dayton.
O. and E. Schuler, 2110 Veen.
H. and J. Rollins, 2022 Benton.
R. and J. Campbell, 2112 Hamilton.
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J. and J. Pies, 1540A Minerva.
M. and J. Sarason, 5707 Westminster.
O. and J. Henry, 5704A Clark.
K. and J. Meyer, 1498 Sullivan.
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BARTENDER WOULD BE SERVANT

By the Associated Press.
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Here is an advertisement that appeared in

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"Wanted—Position in kitchen or general household help by man that has been keeping bar for 28 years."

The applicant, John Kornahrens,

according to a newspaper interview, suggested that as household help is lacking the "members of a noble old profession might come to the rescue."

ENTIRE MALE POPULATION OF SPANISH VILLAGE ON JAG

Fishermen Tow in Cask of Liquor Found Floating in Sea and Celebration Lasts Three Days.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Virtually the entire male population of the village of Lagrana, near Ferrol, Spain, was in a state of "helpless intoxication" for three days recently, the fishing industry and all other work being at a complete standstill, according to a Madrid dispatch.

"Owing to the stormy weather," it says, "a number of cases of spirits laden on incoming vessels had been washed overboard. The casks were picked up by fishermen, small tradesmen and mechanics who after selling part of the wreckage, assembled in a building and consumed dozens of bottles of brandy, rum and other spirits. The orgy lasted for six hours, at the end of which time the whole crowd was found lying in huddled heaps about the floor in an unconscious condition."

"A detachment of marines was dispatched to the building and in the presence of the captain of the port the people were shoved like coal into six large carts and conveyed, still insensible, to the naval hospital here under escort of marines with fixed bayonets."

"The value of the liquor consumed is estimated at \$1500. There are 540 patients ranging from 16 to 70 years old in the hospital."

HOUSE COMMITTEE SAYS AIR PROGRAM WAS 'RIOT OF WASTE'

Report Made by Republicans—Democrat Files Minority Defense of Achievements.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Condemned in one as "a riot of waste" and defended in the other as a "record of achievement" the wartime aviation program was the subject of two reports just presented to the House by a sub-committee of the special committee which for several months has been conducting inquiries into war expenditures.

The report condemning the manner in which the program was carried out was filed by Representatives Frear and Magee, Republicans, while that defending the project was submitted by Representative Lea, Democrat. Both contain thousands of words. The majority report goes at length into alleged extravagances beginning with early aircraft appropriations and ending with the closing out of contracts. It deals with the alleged failure of the De Havilland planes, alleged failure to get any kind of planes to the battle-front in sufficient numbers, condemns failure of the spruce production project in the Northwest and the alleged waste of millions in cost-plus contracts and makes many specific charges of inefficiency and wanton squandering of money.

The minority report takes up many of these charges, denies them and defends those charged with carrying out the program. It in turn charges the Republican members of the committee with having sacrificed facts for sensationalism in an effort to discredit the Democratic administration.

24 NEW CASES OF INFLUENZA REPORTED IN LAST 24 HOURS

Eleven Deaths and 24 From Pneumonia in 28 Hours Ending at 4 P. M. Yesterday.

Eleven deaths from influenza and 24 from pneumonia were reported for the 28-hour period ending at 4 p. m. yesterday, and 24 new cases of influenza were reported during the 24-hour period which ended at 9 a. m. today. The number of new cases reported the preceding day was nine, but Monday always is a light day in number of reports.

Seven influenza patients were received at the city hospital in the 24-hour period ending at 4 p. m. today. There were no deaths at the city hospital from pneumonia or influenza during that period, the first day since Jan. 20 that somebody has not succumbed to one of the diseases at the hospital.

LOUISVILLE MAN FINED FOR ACCOSTING WOMEN ON STREET

Placed an Arm About Each of Two, Then Ran When Man Nearly Intervened.

Harry G. Ranger of Louisville, Ky., was fined \$25 and costs in Police Court today for having accosted two women in front of 1014 Locust street yesterday afternoon. The fine was then stayed and Ranger put on probation until March 4. He told the court he was a business man in Louisville.

Ranger stepped between the two women and placed his arm about each. Two men standing nearby came to the aid of the women, who at once boarded a street car without disclosing their identity. Ranger ran and was followed by a policeman, who arrested him at Twelfth and Locust streets.

FOR WOMEN

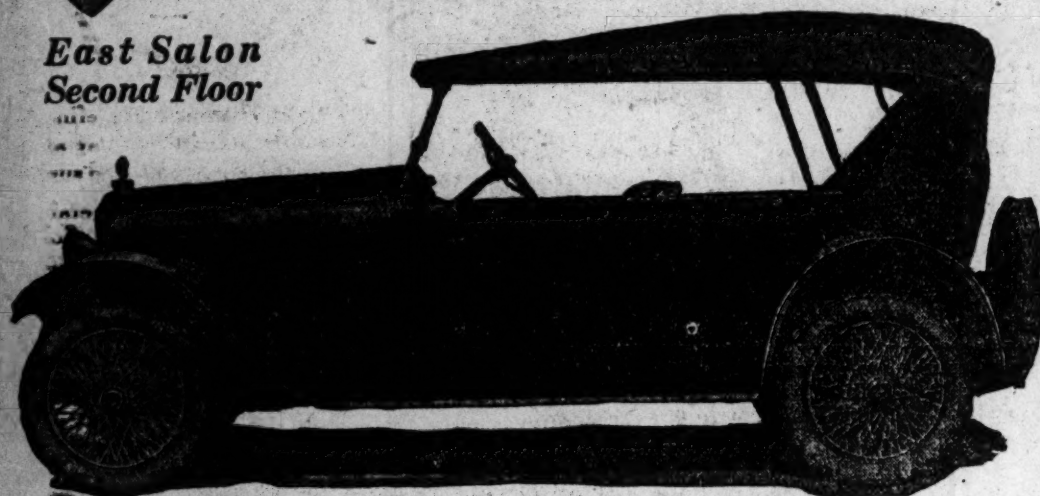
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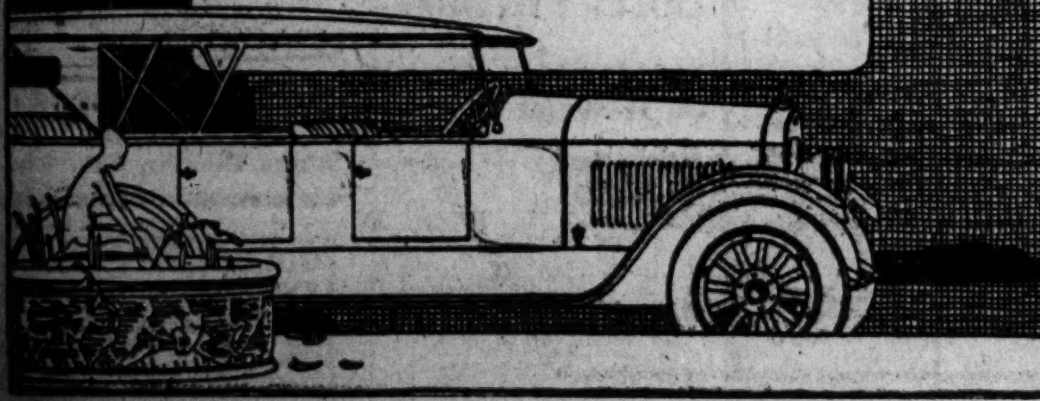
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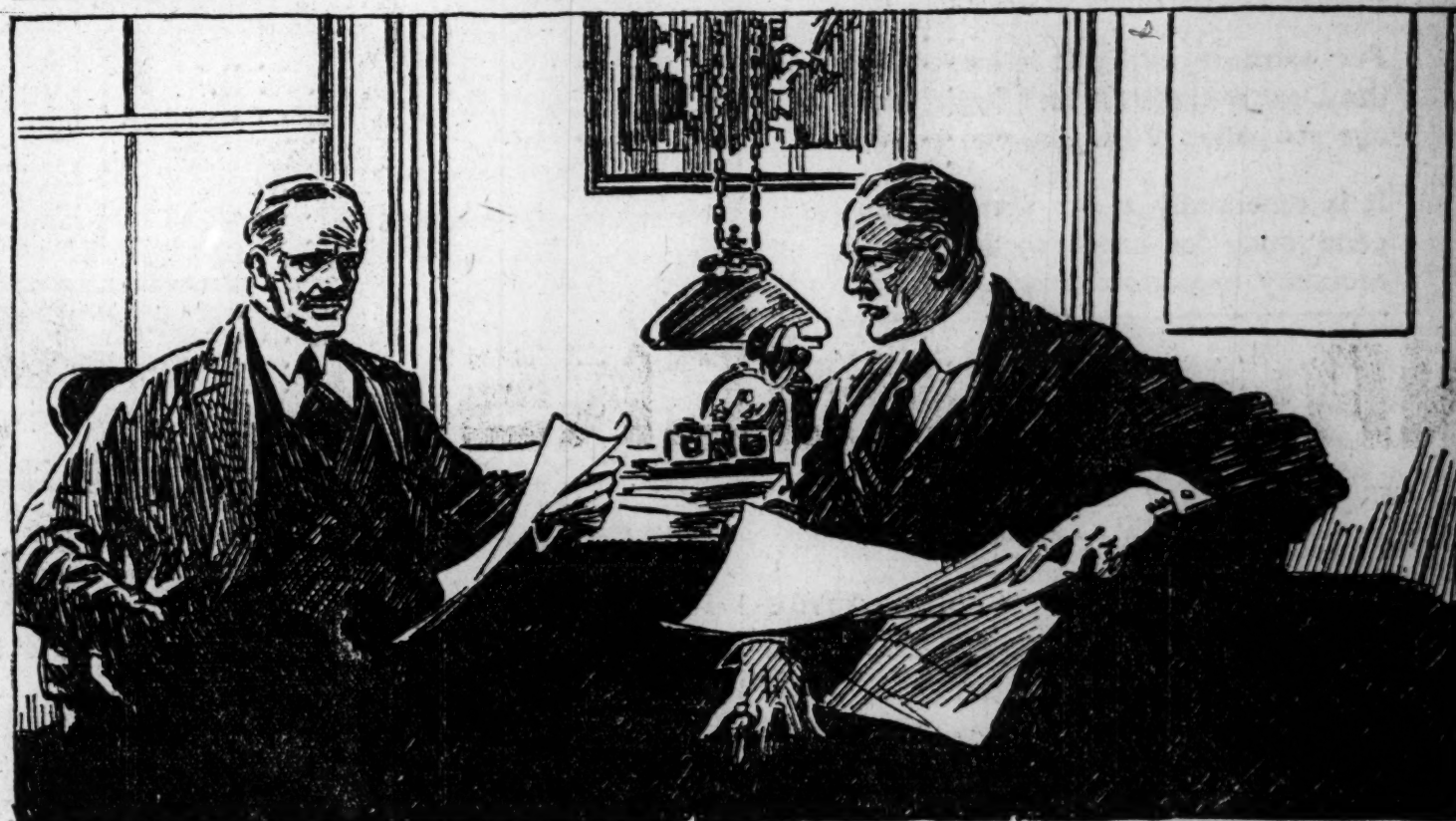
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He was telling of what the Stewardship Plan would do for his Church.

"Most of the leading business men I've talked to are for it heart, soul and pocketbook" he said. "We have often wondered why the Church didn't get on a plain business basis of raising funds. With the Stewardship Plan there will be no more begging; no more deficits."

Something will happen next Sunday in every church—in your church—if every member recognizes that God is the owner of his life and earning power; and that he, himself, is simply a Steward.

February is set apart by the Evangelical

Churches, in cooperation with the Interchurch World Movement, as Stewardship Month. Sunday, February 29th will be National Life Service Enlistment Sunday. On that day the call will go forth to tens of thousands of young people to enlist for special Christian Service.

Next Sunday, February 22nd, has been chosen as Nation-wide Stewardship Acknowledgment Sunday. The goal of all the churches is ten million Christian Stewards regularly enrolled in the holy habit of giving of themselves and of their resources. The money test is primary to a one hundred percent Christianity. The consecration of the first fruits of your income is your first part in the task of world rebuilding.

Will you be one next Sunday to formally acknowledge God's ownership of your life, your labor and your possessions?

Will you dedicate some definite proportion of your income in His cause?

Stewardship Calendar

February
Christian Stewardship Educational Period:
February 22, Stewardship Acknowledgment Sunday
February 25th, Life Work Rally—most Sunday
March
Pre-Sunday Period for the depositing of the Spiritual Life, Evangelism and the Enrollment of Life Records
April
April 4, Steward Sunday, National Join-the-Church Sunday

For full information and help for Pastors, Sunday School Superintendents and Women's and Young People's Societies write the

Stewardship Department

**The INTERCHURCH World Movement
of North America**

45 WEST 18th STREET, NEW YORK CITY

Fire in Pittsburg Newspaper Office.
By the Associated Press.
PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 17.—Fire today destroyed the business

office of the Pittsburg Leader, with an estimated loss of \$15,000. No cause for the origin of the fire has been determined.

DYER IS INDORSED BY NEGRO DISTRICT

No Objections to Resolution, Despite Earlier Opposition—Negro Minister Elected Delegate.

Negroes in the Twelfth Congressional District, who, several weeks ago, demanded of the Republican organization that it consent to a negro candidate for Congressman in the district at the November elections, failed even to offer objections at the Republican district convention last night at 1224 South Tenth street when a resolution unqualifiedly endorsing Congressman L. C. Dyer was introduced and adopted.

The action of the convention, in which there were many negro delegates, was taken by politicians to indicate that the negroes would not press their demands, and that Dyer probably would have no opposition for renomination. Dyer, last week, gave a West Point appointment to a young negro of his district.

The convention elected Robert E. Moore, member of the City Committee from the Sixteenth Ward, and the Rev. Samuel A. Moseley, a negro minister, as delegates to the Republican national convention. Louis Lange and Price McGinnis, a negro, were elected alternates.

The action of Republican Senators who have followed Senator Lodge on the league of nations was indorsed, but there was no mention of Senator Spencer in the resolutions. State Auditor Hackmann and State Superintendent of Schools Baker, the only Republicans holding State offices, were indorsed.

EARL OF READING DECLINES TO BE AMBASSADOR TO U. S.

Pall Mall Gazette Offers Post to Lloyd George Offered Post to Former Envoy.

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, Feb. 17.—Premier Lloyd George has offered the Ambassadorship at Washington to the Earl of Reading, the former Ambassador there, says the Pall Mall Gazette to-

day, but he has declined the appointment.

ADVERTISMENT.

To Reduce Your Weight

If you are too fat and want to reduce your weight ten to thirty or forty pounds, quickly and easily, go to any drug store and get a package of Phynola. Take five grains after each meal and at bedtime.

Even a few days use should show a noticeable reduction in weight, the flesh should become firm, the skin smooth, and the general health improved. Phynola is pleasant to take, helps digestion and is designed to reduce the excess fatty tissue by increasing the oxygen-carrying power of the blood.

Every reader who is overweight should give this treatment a trial. You will probably find it is just what you need. You can get the genuine Phynola at Enderle Drug Co., Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., E. A. Medier, Judge & Delph, or Keltner Drug Co.

WHO Is Petted? "Everywoman"

Kings Theater, Feb. 22d

ADVERTISMENT

DEADLY MENACE OF NEGLECTED COLDS

They Lead to Pneumonia or Serious Throat and Lung Troubles

Doctors know that a great many serious throat and lung troubles, and fatal cases of pneumonia develop from neglected colds so common at this season. Treat your cold promptly by using Father John's Medicine which gives new strength to ward off impending disease because it is pure and wholesome nourishment for those who are weakened and run down. Remember that Father John's Medicine is free from alcohol or dangerous drugs and therefore is a safe family medicine, fine for children as well as older people.

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CEMETERY SEXTON TOO BUSY TO GIVE TIME TO JURY DUTIES

Circuit Judge at Edwardsville Excuses Collinsville Man, So He Can Dig Graves.

Business is so lively at the Holy Cross Lutheran Cemetery, Collinsville, Ill., that the sexton can't get away to serve on a jury, he told the Judge of the Circuit Court at Edwardsville yesterday, and was excused.

Julie Weseman, the sexton, declared there are so many graves to dig that it keeps him busy. He presented a certificate from the cemetery trustees saying it was almost impossible to spare him.

RACE TO OIL LANDS EXPECTED

Boats Chartered to Rush to Alaska When Leasing Bill Is Signed.

By the Associated Press.
SEWARD, Alaska, Feb. 17.—Word that President Wilson has signed the oil land leasing bill, throwing Government reserves open to locaters, will be the starting signal for a race to Southwestern Alaska country supposed to contain oil. Every available boat along the southwestern coast has been chartered for the race, according to reports.

ADVERTISMENT. DANGEROUS GERMS MAKE THROAT SORE

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"Find the Bank"

In the career of virtually every successful business man, some bank has played a prominent role. In fact, "find the bank" is a good rule to follow when seeking a clue to men's business achievements.

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We invite your checking and savings business, whatever the amount. And we'll do all that our ample facilities permit to prove that, in coming here, your problem of "finding the bank" has been correctly solved.

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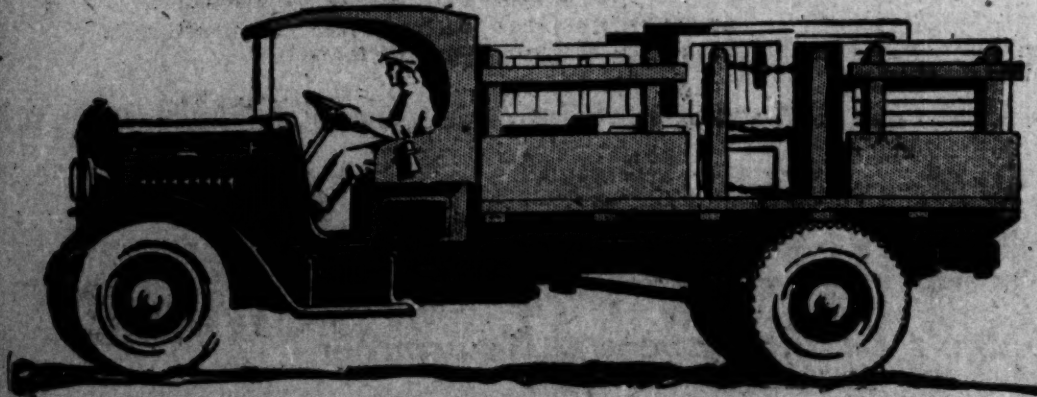
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Two hundred and seventy-five thousand satisfied users testify to its Efficiency, its Durability and its Simplicity.

This Great Offer Good Only Until March 20th

Don't delay! This great free and easy payment offer expires sharply at 6:00 p. m., March 20th.

Only a limited number of these machines will be placed on this generous plan. You can easily understand why we can't afford to make this offer generally or permanently. Don't delay until the big rush on the last day.

Simply send us the coupon filled out with your name and address, or write us, or telephone us and we will then mail you the full and complete details of this exceptional free loan offer.

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Re-decorating Rooms — with Light

WE moved into our new house this fall and I've had a wonderful time fixing it up. It was just like being a bride again. But I couldn't seem to make the living room right, although most of the things in it were new. I would spend half the day getting the room to look comfortable and inviting. Then, when my husband came home, we would light up and it would look like a rummage sale.

This went on for a week, until at last I went down and told my troubles to Mr. Bibber, the merchant from whom I had brought our furniture.

"You say it looks all right in the day time and all wrong at night," he said. "What kind of lighting fixtures have you?"

"Just one," I said, "a very striking chandelier."

"Probably too striking," he said. "We used to have just your trouble here in the store. We had handsome fixtures—graceful bowls hung from ornamental chains. And every one of them seemed to hit you right in the eye. I used to say that lots of customers didn't buy our goods because they were admiring our fixtures. But the real truth was that the light was glaring and gloomy at the same time—glare on the ceiling and on the polished furniture, and gloom on the corners and in the recesses."

"So we changed and put in these," And he pointed down the aisle. I looked and saw here and there handsome, softly lighted silk shades in various colors. I stepped beneath the nearest one and found myself looking directly up, without blinking, at a glowing disc of glass.

"This," said Mr. Bibber, "is a combination of direct and indirect light. The curved metal deflector throws most of the rays upward and floods the whole room with a mellow, diffused light, while through this glass disc other rays go directly downward, giving an added intensity beneath but filtered so that there is no glare. It can be used with a silk, crepe, or parchment shade in any color. Without the shade it makes a perfect light for the kitchen or bathroom. It is used in many offices and drafting rooms where a brilliant but well diffused light is needed, and it affords the first practical means of using in the home the Mazda C—the most powerful and efficient lamp ever invented."

I went straight from the store to the electrical dealer and when I found that Duplexlights, including the beautiful shades, cost no more than ordinary lighting fixtures and that they could be put up in a few minutes, I ordered one on the spot. The electrician came right up and in less than half an hour the old chandelier was gone and Duplexlight was in its place.

When my husband came home he went, as usual, to the living room and snuggled on the couch. He took one look at the room and exclaimed, "Clever little woman. You've got it at last—how did you do it?"

I pointed to the light. "Why," he said, "I never noticed that."

"You're not supposed to," I said, "not until you've taken in the rest of the room. A light isn't there to be looked at itself. It's there to make the other things in the room look more beautiful."

"Well," he said, "it certainly does make everything in the room look more beautiful—including you."

Which was only his foolish way of complimenting me when he thinks I have done well.

Write today for attractive free book—letting facts about good lighting, and showing many styles of decorative shades, entitled, "Light Where You Want It."

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Vasari... New York to Liverpool, Mar. 6
Saxonia... New York to Glasgow, Mar. 6
Royal George... New York to Plymouth, Havre and Southampton, Mar. 9
Columbia... New York to Londonderry and Glasgow, Mar. 13
Mauretania... New York to Cherbourg and Southampton, Mar. 20
Saxonia... New York to Plymouth, Havre and London, Mar. 30
Pannonia... New York to Patras, Dubrovnik and Trieste, Mar. 31
K. A. Victoria... New York to Liverpool, Apr. 3
Carmania... New York to Plymouth, Havre and Southampton, Apr. 3
Royal George... New York to Plymouth, Havre and Southampton, Apr. 14
Mauretania... New York to Cherbourg and Southampton, Apr. 17
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2-lb. box California Washed Figs, \$1.00 value, on sale at... \$1.00

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Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fat, developing hollow and sunken cheeks, and restoring health and beauty, there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness.

Thinness and weakness are often due

to starved nerves. Our bodies need more phosphate than is contained in modern foods. Physicians claim there is nothing that will supply this deficiency so well as the organic phosphate known as Bitro-Phosphate, which is inexpensive and is sold by the Judge & Doherty Endorsement, Dr. John St. Louis, Dr. W. H. Wilson and most all druggists under a guarantee of satisfaction or money back. By feeding the nerves directly and by supplying the body cells with the necessary phosphoric food element, Bitro-Phosphate should produce a welcome transformation in the appearance; the increase in weight frequently being astonishing.

Increase in weight also carries with it a general improvement in the health. Nervousness, sleeplessness and lack of energy, which nearly always accompany excessive thinness, should soon disappear, dull eyes ought to brighten, and pale cheeks glow with the bloom of perfect health. Miss Georgia Hamilton, who was once thin and frail, reports her own experience with Bitro-Phosphate has brought about a marked transformation with her. "I gained only \$7.40, but I feel like a new woman."

CAUTION—While Bitro-Phosphate is unsurpassed for the relief of nervousness, general debility, etc., those taking it who do not eat on flesh should use extra care in avoiding fat-producing foods.

Admission of Bitro-Phosphate will not be sent to the Senate until Chairman Payne winds up several pressing matters now before the board before taking over the office of Secretary of the Interior in succession to Franklin K. Lane, whose resignation is effective March 1. It was said at the White House that this probably would take about a month.

**GROCERY STORE HOLDUP
NETS TWO ROBBERS \$7.40**

A holdup of a Kroger grocery at 1255 O'Fallon street, at 10 o'clock this morning, netted two robbers only \$7.40, the contents of the cash register at that time.

The men drove to the front of the store in an automobile and peered into the store, where John Lareok, manager, was alone at the time. One man then entered the store and, leveling a revolver at Lareok, ordered him to throw up his hands and go to the rear of the store. He then opened the cash register, removed its contents and backed out of the store, getting into the automobile, which was driven west on O'Fallon street.

RADIO CONTROL RELINQUISHED

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Naval operation or control of all private radio stations, assumed during the war emergency, will be relinquished at midnight Feb. 23, under an executive order made public today by Secretary Daniels.

City News in Brief

ANNOUNCEMENTS

GEORGE L. KELLY, SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE, Blue Insurance, will address the Fred W. Stockham Post, 10 o'clock tonight at the American Club. The speakers will include Director of Streets and Sewers Talbert, Judge Mix, Dr. E. George Payne and Ernest Reeves.

MRS. W. J. MCKITTICK, WIFE OF A former member of the First Methodist Church, will begin a mission study class for women at 8 o'clock tonight at the American Club. The subject of her lectures will be "Christian Americanization." The monthly missionary meeting will be held at 2 p. m. Thursday.

THE SOUTH BROADWAY MERCHANTS' and Manufacturers' Association will meet Thursday evening at 8:30 at Harmon Hall, 411 Geyer avenue. The annual election and installation of officers will take place. The following have been nominated: For president, Louis E. Kaitzmann; first vice president, Edwin A. Felder; second vice president, Dr. Joseph E. Doherty; secretary, Dr. J. H. B. Peck; Max Well, S. V. Morris, August C. W. Morris, Dr. E. H. Morris, Bill Harris and I. R. Harris. Committee on Streets and Sewers Talbert and E. J. Troy, secretary of the Manufacturers' Association, will speak.

POLICE ITEMS

A TRAMP FOUND IN THE HOME of John Pacaro of 4008 Easton avenue, a violin maker and music teacher, in his absence yesterday, was questioned by neighbors who had seen him enter. He explained he had called for an instrument that he had left to have repaired. He was allowed to depart. Later, when Pacaro returned home, he reported \$70 had been stolen from his hiding place in his workshop.

WHILE STEVE STAVELANAPOLIS, 801 Market street, proprietor of a soft drink establishment, was locked up at Police Headquarters Saturday and Sunday, thieves visited his establishment and carried away cigars and cigarettes, three watches and a pistol valued at \$200 and \$35 from the cash register. He added he had been unable to find any trace of his negro partner, in whose charge he left the place.

FRED KATTENACKER, 413 ENRIGHT avenue, was stopped by two armed men within few doors of his home at 9 o'clock last night and robbed of his watch and \$1.20.

GEORGE W. DUKER, 1135 MCKINNON avenue, reported having been robbed of a purse and \$14 when in a crowd boarding an Olive street car at Seventh street last night.

MISCELLANEOUS

HOWARD ANDERSON, 11 YEARS OLD, of 204 Adelaide avenue, suffered a fracture yesterday when with other boys he was playing "Follow the leader" near the Terminal Railroad, near Adelaide avenue. He jumped from an embankment 8 feet high to the tracks, his feet catching under him. He is the son of State Senator Peter Anderson.

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CONRAD COMPANY BUYS

NICHOLSON GROCERY STOCK

The J. F. Conrad Grocer Co., which operates six retail groceries, last night purchased the stock and goodwill of the David Nicholson Grocer Co., and took a 20-year lease on the Nicholson store at 13 and 15 North Sixth street. The Conrad company will operate the new store as its Nicholson branch and will open it March 8.

It was announced, exclusively in the Post-Dispatch recently that the David Nicholson Grocer Co., which was established in 1843, and was the oldest grocery here, would go out of business because constitutional prohibition had made continuation unprofitable. The Nicholson company has agreed to remain out of the grocery business for a long term of years, and will vacate its store on March 8.

The J. F. Conrad Grocer Co. was established in 1874 by John F. Conrad, who is still president of the company. Four of his sons are associated with him in the business. The purchase price paid for the Nicholson store is approximately \$100,000, representing that amount of grocery stock.

The Conrad company has dealt chiefly as a retailer, while Nicholson's chief business was wholesaling, especially to hotels. Before prohibition two-thirds of the Nicholson business consisted of liquor sales.

WILSON PICKS ADMIRAL BENSON

FOR PLACE ON SHIPPING BOARD

Chief of Naval Operations During War, Now Retired, to Succeed John Barton Payne.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Rear Admiral Benson, chief of naval operations during the war, and now on the retired list, has been selected by President Wilson to succeed John Barton Payne as a member of the Shipping Board.

Admiral Benson's nomination will not be sent to the Senate until Chairman Payne winds up several pressing matters now before the board before taking over the office of Secretary of the Interior in succession to Franklin K. Lane, whose resignation is effective March 1. It was said at the White House that this probably would take about a month.

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THE CHICAGO DAILY NEWS

Daily Circulation January, 1920

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss.

County of Cook, ss. J. N. Eisenlord, Circulation Manager of THE CHICAGO EVENING AMERICAN—does solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of paper named, printed and sold during the month of January, A. D. 1920, was as follows:

1. Holiday 388,371

2. Sunday 395,854

3. Sunday 380,447

4. Sunday 404,700

5. Sunday 401,657

6. Sunday 402,074

7. Sunday 402,402

8. Sunday 401,635

9. Sunday 401,566

10. Sunday 382,742

11. Sunday 415,778

12. Sunday 409,658

13. Sunday 406,800

14. Sunday 405,485

15. Sunday 403,997

16. Sunday 406,871

Total for month 10,466,401

Daily average 402,554

Allowance and deductions 1,634

Net daily average sold 400,920

All exchanges, service, excess print copies and allowances made for copies received late and lost in transit are deducted in determining the net paid circulation.

J. N. EISENLORD.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2d day of February, A. D. 1920.

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1. Holiday 369,507

2. Sunday 398,129

3. Sunday 370,326

4. Sunday 404,644

5. Sunday 403,713

6. Sunday 403,444

7. Sunday 401,803

8. Sunday 400,542

9. Sunday 372,437

10. Sunday 374,327

11. Sunday 406,867

12. Sunday 403,199

13. Sunday 401,573

14. Sunday 400,624

15. Sunday 388,331

Total for month 10,175,125

Allowances for papers missed 16,422

Total sold, net 10,158,703

Daily average sold 390,719

This circulation is divided as follows:

City and suburbs 369,837

Outside city and suburbs 20,882

Total circulation 390,719

All "exchanges," copies used by employees, unsold and returned papers are deducted in determining the net paid circulation.

HOPWELL L. ROGERS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2d day of February, A. D. 1920.

(L. S.) Henry C. Lathaw, Notary Public.

The AMERICAN has 85,985 more circulation than it had a year ago—the News has 4154 more circulation than it had a year ago.

From January 1919 to January 1920, inclusive, The AMERICAN gained over 27% in circulation. The News gained a trifle over 1% in circulation.

There are three evening papers in the United States with a circulation exceeding 400,000, and two of these are Hearst papers.

The New York Evening Journal, 687,624 circulation. The Evening Bulletin, Philadelphia, 457,569 circulation. The Chicago Evening American, 400,920 circulation.

Mark carefully the comparative circulations during the last week in January: Daily average circulation, Evening American, 410,291. Daily average circulation, The Daily News, 388,709.

Daily EXCESS of American

41 QUESTIONS ON TRANSPORTATION PROBLEMS OF CITY

List Sent to Railroad and Shipping Men to Get Data for Report of City Plan Commission.

The Industrial Development Committee of the City Plan Commission is sending to railroad traffic managers and shipping interests a questionnaire on the transportation facilities of St. Louis, preliminary to the preparation of a report on transportation problems.

Seventeen questions are devoted to the river front, its utilization and interchange of traffic between the Eads and Municipal bridges, and to the preparation of a report on transportation problems.

The river front questions are as follows:

1. What is the best practical use that can be made of the wharf between the Eads and Municipal bridges?
2. What portion of this wharf should be devoted to public steamboat landings?
3. Should any part of it be devoted to terminal docks with rail connections such as the municipal docks?
4. Would easy access to the river front, from, say, Fourth street, be of material benefit to the public and to steamboat interests?
5. Would a recreation pier or building on the levee reached by street car lines and giving easy access to boat and landings be of sufficient public use and benefit to justify its construction?
6. Where should such a building preferably be located within the wharf limits named?

Reference to Recreation Pier.

7. Would an imposing approach to the river from Fourth street, say, a block wide, embellished with shrubbery, fountains, etc., be of such benefit to the city and the surrounding property as to justify its development?
8. Where should such approach be located to be of the greatest possible utility and benefit?
9. Would a level approach from Fourth street to the recreation pier at the levee carrying street car tracks with a loop at the pier, giving ample head room over the intervening streets, be preferable to a surface approach such as described under paragraph 7?
10. Where should such elevated approach be located?
11. It is generally conceded that the property east of Third street and between the Eads and Municipal bridges should be rehabilitated. What is the best use to which it can be put?
12. Would this district be suitable for warehouses and wholesale mercantile houses where connection with both river and rail could be provided?

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13. Would any portion of it be a suitable site for a union railroad station?
14. Should any portion of it be devoted to park purposes?
15. Should additional municipal docks be built and if so where should they be located?
16. The zoning law classes as industrial the whole river front of the city, embracing about 4000 acres. What is the best use that can be made of this tract, especially above the Eads Bridge and below the Municipal Bridge?
17. Is it desirable to devote the district named to manufacturing, warehouses and grain elevators, connecting directly with the river on one side and rail on the other?
18. On railways and railway terminals the questions are:

1. What is the total freight tonnage by rail in and out of St. Louis as a terminal point?
2. What is the tonnage of out-

bound freight originating in St. Louis and the tonnage received for St. Louis?

3. What is the tonnage of freight passing through St. Louis to other terminal points?
4. Could this through tonnage be advantageously diverted around St. Louis so as to relieve congestion in our rail terminal yards?
5. Would such diversion be detrimental or of benefit to St. Louis and in what way?
6. Are rail terminals along the East St. Louis river front beneficial to St. Louis or detrimental thereto and in what particulars and to what extent could their capacity be enlarged in the interest of St. Louis?
7. Is it economically necessary to have the distributing railroad yards within the City of St. Louis?
8. In case they should be within the city limits how should they be located and enlarged so as to best serve the business interests of the city?
9. At the rate of increase in tonnage for the past 25 years, how large should the terminals or yards be, measured in number of cars, to meet the requirements say 25 years in the future?
10. How much of an increase in the capacity of the present storage and distributing yards would be necessary?
11. How soon will one or more additional passenger depots or terminals become necessary in St. Louis?
12. Where should such stations be located to best serve the traveling public and the business interests of St. Louis?
13. Are additional railway bridges across the Mississippi River at St. Louis desirable and necessary to facilitate the movement of traffic?
14. Is it practicable from an economic point of view, considering the best interests of the City of St. Louis, to remove the existing Terminal yards from within the city limits?
15. What proportion of the freight received by St. Louis and shipped from St. Louis is handled by truck or dray to and from the several freight houses or yards?
16. Is this truck traffic increasing and in what direction?
17. During what months does the heaviest traffic occur and also what months show the lightest traffic?
18. What proportion of the St. Louis tonnage goes to or comes from the seaboard?
19. What proportion of this seaboard tonnage passes through the Gulf ports?
20. Would provisions for ample and easy interchange of traffic between river and rail be of material benefit to the business interests of St. Louis?

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If someone is harassing you	65
If someone is insulting you	55
If someone is annoying you	45

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WIREMAN—Expert, house. Halke Electric
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St. Louis. (c1)
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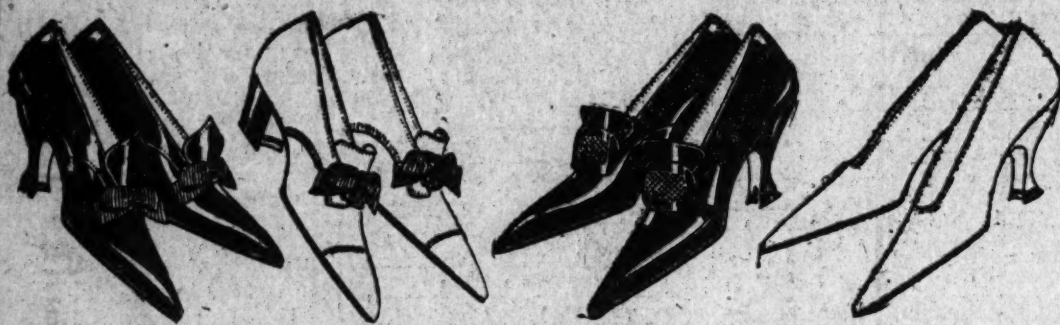
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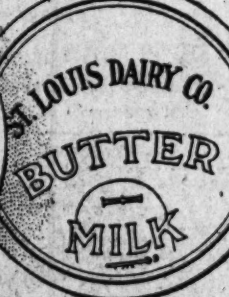
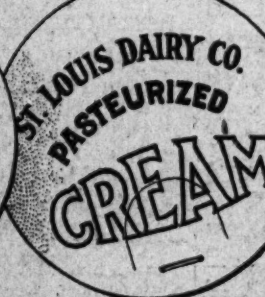
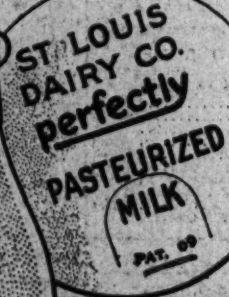
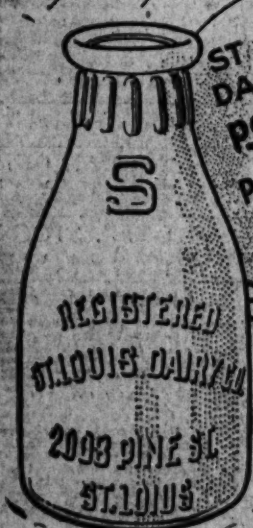
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TWELFTH ENGINEERS HONOR COL. TOWNSEND

History of Regiment Dedicated
to Him Presented at Dinner at
University Club.

"The History of the Twelfth Engineers," a handsomely printed and bound book of 398 pages, with many illustrations, has been added to the published records of St. Louis military organizations.

A leather-bound copy of the book was presented to Col. Curtis McD. Townsend, organizer of the regiment, at a dinner of members of the regiment, at the University Club last night. The dinner was given in honor of Col. Townsend, who is about to retire from active service.

Col. John A. Laird, commander of the regiment in France, was toastmaster at the dinner. The book, which is dedicated to Col. Townsend, is the work of Col. Laird, as official historian, Maj. William W. Burden and Capt. Harry F. McFarland as editors, Lieut. Bruce E. Dolch and Charles A. Lieber as assistant historians. Corporal Sidney M. Skinner was business manager.

The book begins with a display of commendatory letters received by the Twelfth Engineers from Gen. Pershing and from the headquarters of the Services of Supply and the Personnel Bureau, A. E. F. The organization of the regiment in May and June, 1917, is told in the first chapter, and Camp Gaillard, at the Chain of Rocks, is shown in photographs.

A map outlines the movements of the regiment in England and France from Aug. 12, 1917, the date of arrival at Liverpool, and April 14, 1919, the day of sailing from Bassens. The reviewing of the regiment by King George of England is pictured, and the scene then shifts to the first camp site in the Somme region.

From this point, and through the greater part of the book, the story of the regiment's work is told pictorially by views of ruins, dugouts, officers' quarters, shelled towns, wrecked bridges, destroyed railroad tracks, restored and newly constructed tracks and railroads, stations, ammunition dumps, railroad yards, mud and snow.

Defense Line Depicted. "Entrance to Hammer's Chateau" and "Foster-Skelly-Pittman Residence" are the dignified lines under two particularly unimpressive pictures. The Pas-Condé defense line, built by the Twelfth in April, 1918, and the double-track construction east of Verdun, are two of the important engineering works demonstrated.

"The St. Mihiel Offensive and the Toul Sector" is the heading of one of the most important chapters, which contains a map showing light railway construction in the Verdun and St. Mihiel sectors. The much-fought-over Mont Sec, and the connection constructed across No Man's Land to the enemy's rail system, are shown. Airplane views of Thiaucourt and other towns show a contrast to the almost wilderness-like appearance of the devastated French countryside.

With the armistice, billets in towns begin to appear once more, and the pretty little city of Bourges, on the River Gironde, is depicted. Embarkation, the voyage home, and the reception at New York and in the St. Louis railroad yards, with the march through the Court of Honor and the greeting in the city hall plaza, conclude the record. A supplementary chapter is given to the work of the women's auxiliary, and to a roster of officers and men of the regiment.

Talks were made at the Townsend dinner by Maj. Wildurr Willing, Lieutenant-Colonel W. F. Green and Col. Laird.

MILLER ESTATE LEFT IN TRUST

Income to Be Divided Between Her

Niece and Nephew. The will of Mrs. Elizabeth H. Miller of 4328 Delmar boulevard was filed yesterday. Her estate is left in trust of the Mississippi Valley Trust Co. One-half of the income is to go to her niece, Grace Adams, of the Buckingham Annex, and the remaining one-half to Miss Laura M. Brooker, who was a nurse in the employment of Mrs. Miller for 22 years.

At the death of the beneficiaries the trust ceases and the estate goes in equal parts to the Home of the Friendless, 4431 South Broadway, and to the St. Louis Women's Christian Association at Grand and Magnolia avenues. Mrs. Miller left an oil painting of her husband, the late Capt. William M. Miller, a Confederate cavalry officer with a Virginia regiment, to the Missouri Historical Society.

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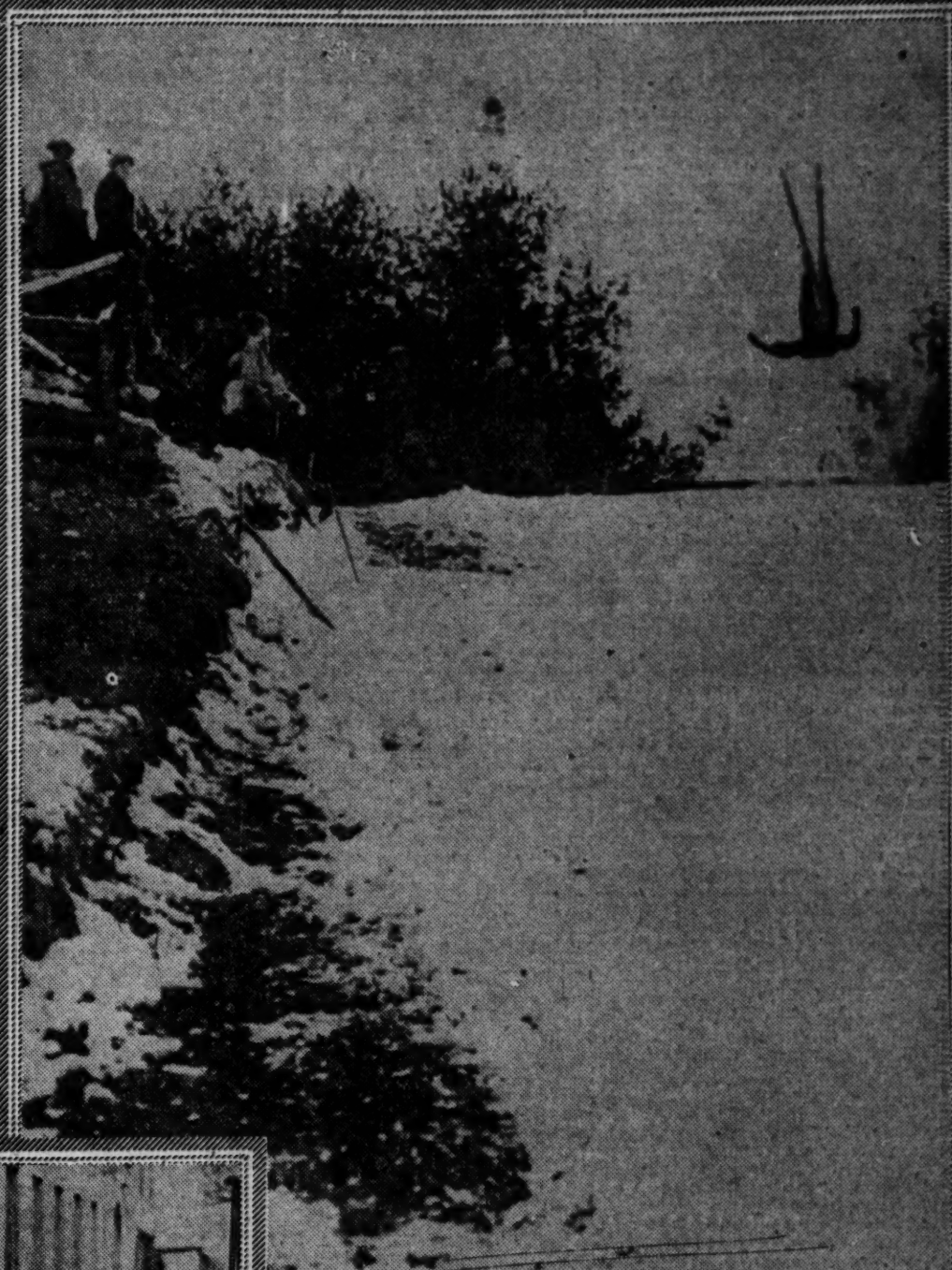
Popular Comics
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 TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1920.



Miss Mary Semple Scott of St. Louis, wearing the emblem of the Democratic party, receiving "earfull" of Tennessee fighting spirit from Mrs. Gunford Dudley of Nashville at National Suffrage convention at Chicago.



William Jennings Bryan and Mrs. Archibald McNeil, wife of former Connecticut Senator, snapped at Palm Beach.



Looping the loop on skis at the winter sports at Dartmouth, Hanover, N. H. This feat is the most dangerous performed by winter sport enthusiasts.



Contingent of French troops marching into Berlin. They are a part of the force sent to see to it that Germany strictly adheres to peace conditions.



Miss Helen Loganitch, daughter of one of Serbia's most prominent families, lecturing in the United States in behalf of fund for relief work in her country, where she says there are 500,000 fatherless children.



Camera fitted with simple device of telescope with lense at one end and ground glass at the other, which will enable operator to make his pictures sharp and clear.



Miss Alice Louise Secker, who won \$10,000 over 7500 girls as most beautiful woman in New York, scorns offers of rich men, and weds Ralph O. Treulich, her childhood sweetheart, who is shown with her in this picture.

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 I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles, that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight demagogues of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news, always be financially independent, never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.
 JOSEPH PULITZER.
 April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Homeless Girls and Homes.
 To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
 Your paper recently quoted a statement from the Y. W. C. A. to the effect that over 500 girls were without homes. My wife called up the Y. W. C. A. that evening and the young lady who answered the phone was highly indignant when she suggested that some of the girls could easily find a home if they would be willing to do housework. It does seem as though they would prefer a good home to that of a lodging house, where the surroundings are not of the best. We have always given the girls who worked for us a good home. In fact, those that we have had seemed more than pleased with their surroundings. We have only had three in five years, and all three married. I can hardly sympathize with these girls, especially in view of the fact that homes are ready for these girls. We have had an ad in your paper now for four days, and as yet we have not had an applicant. We are perfectly willing to provide a good home and give a girl good wages and a room that they do not find in a boarding or rooming house. I am sure that others have had the same experience. I hope you will give this the publicity it deserves.
 J. N.

The Bus and the U. R.
 To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
 It is stated in a recent publication of the Post-Dispatch that the management of the United Railways Co. welcomes the advent of the motor bus business. Not alone to cope successfully or efficiently with the surface transportation situation, the management is willing to accept a negative victory preferable to an acknowledged, positive defeat. The solution to the present critical condition of the United Railways inefficiency is more trailers, clean cars and a little red blood.
 A READER.

Crucify, Thy Name Is Woman.
 To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
 I have been reading every day the advertisements and news items concerning the fur auction in both New York and St. Louis. The general impression seems to be that the matter is one any city should be proud of. Why so? Each pet, the covering of a little furry creature—all sorts of such creatures—brought from every section of the world, especially the horrible pain, for continued agony, for blood and death, hunger and thirst and fear. Not only does the individual animal suffer, but often there are little ones in some distant lair or den, too feeble to fend for themselves, doomed to a lingering death by starvation. From Australia there are yearly exported some three million opossum skins. People there say it is no uncommon sight to see a dead or dying opossum mother lying in the street trap while her starving little ones crowd around her, seeking nourishment she can no longer supply. Shall the human race go forever unpunished for such sin? It is not alone the heartless trader who must plead guilty. Every man and woman who wears the pelt, or the pelt of any animal, must share the blame for they well know the shameful way it was come by. It is women more than men who are most culpable. It is women who are most responsible for the trade which would soon go out of business. But vanity must be satisfied, though every hair of that dead animal drip with blood.
 LULU MACLURE CLARKE.

Why Nurses Are Scarce.
 To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
 I saw a statement in Wednesday's Post to the effect that there are 100 patients in a ward with but one nurse in attendance at our city hospital. The scarcity of help looks like criminal negligence on the part of some one. Perhaps the following incident may help to explain why the institution is unprepared to meet the emergency. A young friend who nursed me through a severe illness applied at the city hospital for a course of instruction in nursing. She was turned away because she had not gone through the four years at high school in order to put in three more years learning how to fill hot-water bottles and take the temperature of patients. In such times there are many women who would be a wonderful help, but who are denied admission because they have no smattering of Latin terms. Lives may be lost, but a few very much "trained" young women will no doubt save the reputation of the institutions.
 MRS. W. R. B.

Some Challenge.
 To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
 For the purpose of shedding new light on old problems and pointing out fallacies, I will meet any Socialist or single taxer in public debate and take the negative side of the following propositions:
 Labor creates or produces all value.
 Labor creates or produces all wealth.
 Labor creates or produces all capital.
 Labor is a commodity.
 Labor is valuable.
 Labor is entitled to the whole value of its product.
 The capitalist system can be abolished.
 The competitive system can be abolished.
 The contract system can be abolished.
 The wage system can be abolished.
 Taxes, etc.
 THOMAS J. SANDFORD.

THE FIUME INSTANCE.

There is no ground for European astonishment over President Wilson's refusal to support the Fiume compromise agreed upon by Great Britain, France and Italy. The President threw a monkey wrench into the imperialistic machine of the allies while he was in Europe. His latest note is the logical sequence of his first protest against carrying out the secret predatory bargains of the allies, despite their pledges to adhere to the Wilson program of peace.

The Fiume settlement is only one of several peace settlements which nullified the 14 points of the peace terms and turned the peace of justice into a peace of victory, with a strong taint of imperialistic ambitions. The allies pleaded that the bargains they had made previous to the entrance of the United States into the war and the announcement of the President's war aims were binding upon them. But they had publicly changed their course and had given pledges to justice. It was impossible to reconcile secret diplomacy with open diplomacy, imperialistic ambitions with a peace of justice, greed with wisdom and mercy.

The attempt against the terms of peace to satisfy France's revenge and fear, Britain's greeds and fears, and Lloyd George's political claims and Italy's frank desire for imperialistic expansion has nearly wrecked the peace. It has not only resulted in cruelties and injustices in the treaty itself which must be rectified if peace and progress are to be assured, but it has created in a number of peoples, especially in the American people, grave suspicion of the sincerity and just intent of our war associates, which is militating against cordial co-operation in working out Europe's peace problem and in establishing the League of Nations. The number of Americans in whose minds is growing a fear of European designs is constantly increasing.

The peace treaty has reached a critical stage, so far as America is concerned. The Fiume controversy emphasizes it. If Italy's ambitions are satisfied without regard to the rights and interests of Yugoslavia and against our protest, the future will be darker than it is now. It will strengthen the arguments of the bitter-end opponents of the peace treaty and the growing impression that America's co-operation is wanted by the dominant Powers of Europe to obtain America's moral support and physical power for their ambitions and for the destruction of all who stand in their way.

The rage of the French press against President Wilson is an ill-disguised attempt to discredit all he can do for the original terms of peace in the fear that some of the savage conditions France insisted upon from Germany and Austria may be subject to revision. It is gratifying to note that the British press in the main takes a wiser view of the incident and is inclined to support the President's protest. Those who do not support him indicate that they realize the gravity of the situation and the possibility that the decision of the great allied Powers may determine America's attitude towards Europe's condition and her reconstruction needs.

It is not likely that Mr. Wilson, as the French report has it, warned the allies that we might no longer concern ourselves with European affairs. The Washington report that he warned them that he might consider withdrawing the peace treaty from the Senate is a note of real danger. Persistence in projects of revenge and advantage and imperialism on the part of the allies may bring the American people to a state which will make cordial co-operation in the rehabilitation of Europe impossible.

The true attitude for us is not discouragement, but firmness in our own conviction. What the allies are trying to do in the Adriatic and in Central Europe strengthens the argument for the peace covenant, which offers the only solution of the problems of peace. It would give opportunity for the rallying of the moral forces of the world against a program of revenge and greed for a program of justice and progress.

The hope of revising the treaty in the interest of justice and progressive co-operation for the salvation of Europe lies in the League.

THE THIRD DISTRICT'S WARNING.
 The Republicans are all primed to celebrate the special congressional election in the Third Missouri District on the slightest provocation. Their statisticians had computed the outcome from a variety of angles. Had they cut down Mr. Alexander's majority of two years ago pyrotechnics would have been on. Had they won, the jubilation would have been deliriously observed on the grave of the League of Nations.

The grand old party is doing no celebrating. Capt. Milligan, the Democratic candidate, was elected by a bigger majority than that of Alexander two years ago, and in a smaller total vote by some 4000. And since the Republican campaign keynote was opposition to the Wilson administration generally and the League of Nations in particular, the supporters of the President have substantial reasons for rejoicing.

But there were other factors in this election besides the League of Nations and the alleged enormity of the Wilson regime. Capt. Milligan's distinguished record as a soldier must have been worth a good many votes. Then, too, his opponent, Mr. Frost, who made such a gallant fight in 1918, was under a special

EDITORIAL SPARKS.
 Parke: Do you know that girl? Darke: Well, not to speak to, but we have a blushing acquaintance.—Life.

"So your husband's been off on a hunting trip, has he? What did he kill?" "Two weeks' time is all that I know of."—Boston Transcript.

Teacher: How is it that you're so late, Tommy? Tommy: "Cause there was a man pinched for stealing here and getting a house on fire, an' knockin' down five policemen, an' mither sent me room to see if it was father."—London Blighty.

Little Johnny: When Miss Nexdor got married her mother threw an old slipper after her. What was that for? "Little Ethel! Oh, they always do that. It means that her mamma isn't never goin' to spank her any more."—Galveston News.

"Wife, I wonder why daughter's young man doesn't go home earlier." "Eh?" "Do home earlier?" "Just what my father used to wonder about you, hubby."—Louisville Journal.

Caller: Hear that girl! Doesn't her constant singing in the flat annoy you? Lodger: Not so much as her constant flat in her singing.—Boston Transcript.

Talking about farm labor, so long as Mr. Lanybones can pull down \$75 a month as valet to an automobile, you are not going to find him chamber-maiding for a gray mule for \$10.—Houston Post.

disability in the contest just closed. He had to carry the record his party has made in Congress since it came officially into power last May. That is a ghastly record of failure, a record of nothing done in the face of desperate need.

The meaning of the Third District's election may or may not be understood in Washington. If it is understood the Republican majority in Congress will buckle down to work and redeem some of the golden promises it made two years ago. For it will have a bad time next November if it comes before the country empty handed. The Third Missouri District has made that plain.

THE MOTOR SHOW.

The automobile industry, partially suspended by the war, has recovered its stride. It has been benefited by its vacation. At the exhibit which opened last night at the old Southern Hotel, 240 passenger cars of various makes are on display. A few of them are making their first formal bow to the public. They command the attention almost vouchsafed the debutante. And cars whose names have long been familiar have been completely transformed. Were it not for their names they would hardly be recognizable. Many of them, starting out in life in a modest way, with no especial promise or pretension, have developed into haughty, dazzling creatures.

There have been organic changes, too, as marked, perhaps, as the changes in appearance. To many of us the vitals of a car must ever remain a mystery. The fluent argot is as Greek to us. But it is inferred that the pulchritude of the modern car is more than skin deep. Old limitations have been removed. Causes of vexations have been healed. The surgery and psychiatry of motordom have worked wonders. If the possibility of trouble has not been eliminated, the probability has. The car of the minute is not only a thing of beauty but a joy forever, or, at least, for several years.

As evidence of the growth of the industry it was found impracticable to house the exposition under one roof. The truck display, accordingly, has been staged at the Coliseum, where 39 types are shown. As a Daughter of Martha, the truck may not evoke the adulation lavished upon her more graceful and fortunate sister, but it is a tremendous factor in the new age. Before this sturdy, phlegmatic beast of burden the horse is steadily vacating the city streets and in a few years will probably have entirely disappeared. And as the horse yields to the inexorable law of the survival of the fittest, another species of the transportation genus may also feel a tremor of apprehension in its iron body. There can be little question that the truck along the broader ways of its future will invade and largely occupy the present domain of the locomotive.

The gasoline engine, romantic and fabulous as its history is, is still at the threshold of its conquest. Its Homeric stanzas are yet to be written.

WHEN JAMES G. BLAINE QUIT.

Mr. Bryan resigned at a critical stage of the emergency caused by the sinking of the Lusitania. Mr. Lansing continued at his post during the emergency caused by the illness of the President, when a change in the State Department head would undoubtedly give rise to confusion, and was dismissed with the passing of the emergency. We would have to go back 28 years for an incident with any resemblance in its most striking features to the one of last week affecting relations of President and Secretary of State.

This was the retirement of James G. Blaine from President Harrison's Cabinet. The incident has its strong points of contrast as well as of resemblance. In this case the sick man was the Secretary of State, not the President. In fact, Mr. Blaine lived less than a year thereafter. Another circumstance also reversed was that the resignation was offered, not in any respect on the initiative of the President, but on that of the Secretary alone.

But as coming in a campaign year, when thought was being fixed on the choice of the nominating conventions, and in respect to the shock caused the country, the discussions to which they gave rise and the criticism directed toward the President even within his own party, the one incident closely parallels the other. As the most popular leader of his time, Mr. Blaine, of course, has a place in the public's estimate very different from that of Mr. Lansing. His creation of the reciprocity policy, his handling of difficult situations in Salvador, Guatemala and Chile, his able presentation of the Bering Sea issue and summoning of the first Pan-American Congress added much to the prestige not only of himself, but of Mr. Harrison. It was felt that only a slight by Mr. Harrison could explain his retirement, and great resentment was felt.

Mr. Blaine in a note unprecedented for courtesy in Cabinet annals, to which Gen. Harrison replied with like courtesy, resigned on June 4, 1892, and left Washington for Maine the same day. On June 7 the Republican national convention met at Minneapolis, to which his name was presented as a candidate. It was too late, however, to have any influence on the result. The idol of his party for a generation received but one-sixth as many votes as Harrison, though the incident undoubtedly helped to defeat Gen. Harrison at the polls.

THE BEAR THAT WALKS LIKE A QUESTION MARK.



—Brooklyn Eagle.



JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH by Clark McAdams.



SOCRATES AND HIS PUPILS.

SOCRATES: Of course, all anybody talked about at the agora last night was the violence with which Wilson got rid of Lansing, one of the most dramatic things that has happened at Washington in a long time. Critics was kind enough to suggest that I say something, which I was glad to do.

POLEMARCHUS: They had probably reached the point where they did not know what to think until someone started them off again.

SOCRATES: I dare say. It is a very puzzling matter. At any rate, I said that in my opinion the story had never been told.

POLEMARCHUS: By no means.

SOCRATES: Very well. There were a good many theories; but this point, I felt, should be made. We are not sure whom the President was addressing in the Lansing letter.

GLAUCON: He may be addressing another Government.

SOCRATES: Exactly. You must recall that we know but little of Lansing.

GLAUCON: Very little, indeed.

SOCRATES: Without the least suspicion that he did not do what he thought was best, we may still wonder how far his judgment could serve in a delicate affair of state.

POLEMARCHUS: Naturally.

SOCRATES: Good! In that case we need to hear more about the matter before we condemn anybody.

POLEMARCHUS: That is best, I imagine. The President seems to have dealt brutally with Lansing, but his information may be better than ours.

SOCRATES: Let us hope that is so. We don't like to think of the President as one who would be so unjust as Wilson seems to be in his treatment of Lansing.

GLAUCON: If his information is no better than ours, then we must attribute his acts to mere intransigence, of which we may expect almost anything at any time.

SOCRATES: Precisely. That would not be a nice position in which to put either Wilson or the country.

POLEMARCHUS: I fancy we shall hear something more about it.

SOCRATES: It is very likely. At the agora, for instance, while there were theories enough, nobody felt satisfied.

POLEMARCHUS: There is widespread dissatisfaction with what we know of the matter.

SOCRATES: So there is. That was why I tried to get something plausible before the agora.

It was not so much that I liked the theory I had as it was that something credible was required for working purposes until the story came out. It is not, for instance, credible to us that mere irritation with one who disagreed with him in most things would lead the President to such violence as he exercised in getting rid of Lansing.

GLAUCON: No, the President has no such prerogative. We may be in doubt as to some of his powers, but his prerogatives are quite well understood.

SOCRATES: It is well said, my dear Glaucou. Now let us talk about something we know more about.

TREES.

They are the living things of earth: They stay their place, content at birth.

Sign on a repair shop on De Baliviere avenue, with skidding apostrophe:

All shoes shined on the inside today. Come in.

Shining the inside of shoes is another mark of this progressive age.

I take an interest in your department, and herewith send you a number of ads I have found:

Wanted—Man to work in dog kennel, \$12 a week, sleep in or out.

Evidently means to sleep in or out of the kennel.

For Sale—Two highly bred cats. At home: evenings.

Lowly bred cats probably never stay at home evenings.

For Sale—About 100 year old chickens. Known to have been hatched in 1820.

I am a traveling man and an unlicensed sign hunter. Do these qualify me to join your army of wide-awakes and secure a number? Marshalltown, Io.

W. G. BRUEL.

Sir: Here is one from a trade publication:

Wanted—Experienced tablet maker; sugar-coated and plain.

How can a tablet maker be sugar-coated and plain at the same time? H. M. W.

SPRING.

DEAR Just a Minute: I think that both you and the exile in Chicago are wrong about Spring and Chicago.

Or St. Louis, or any other place; For Spring isn't a thing of time or of place. I know—for ten years ago.

When I came here from Chicago I could stand that exile Spring feeling "Just so long."

Then, maybe in March or in April, Friend Husband would say: "Telegraph your mother."

It's come—I'll come home early and pack. One time—with babes and bottles—We left on just two hours' notice; But when I had sniffed that fresh breeze Which comes from the lake only in Spring Nothing mattered!

And if mother's face questioned, Father said, "It's all right, daughter. When you get that feeling, just come." And I knew that he knew and understood, And maybe longed to be up in Wisconsin, Because that's where he thought of Spring. Spring isn't a time, or a place, It's only the urge to renew one's youth.

E. H. M.

The MIRROR of PUBLIC OPINION

WILSON AND LANSING.

From the New York World.
 AN OUTSTANDING fact of the utmost significance in relation to the retirement of Secretary Lansing is the practical unanimity of the American press in expressions of amazement and regret. Independent and Democratic as well as Republican newspapers are alike emphatic in the opinion that the Secretary of State was unjustly accused of usurpation and that, as the World said, "The people have a right to know what is back of this extraordinary case."

That the President has full authority to select the members of his Cabinet is not disputed among his correspondents. Mr. Lansing is charged with that if he and Secretary Lansing were not in harmony a change of relationship was necessary. It is noted, furthermore, that the complication would have been solved long ago by the voluntary retirement of the Secretary if that officer had been firm in his position. The President's own agents, deriving much of their authority from him, and that there was absolutely nothing in the nature of usurpation.

Mr. Lansing was told also that under Constitutional law and practice no one but the President has the right to summon the members of the executive departments into conference. The truth is that so far as the Constitution is concerned the Cabinet as a Cabinet does not exist. The committees of Congress, which often summon single members of the Cabinet as witnesses, call all of them into conference if they will. In the cases complained of the meetings were voluntary, almost spontaneous. They were imperatively needed for the transaction and co-ordination of public business. That they were held was supposed to be known by the President, but his challenging letter to Mr. Lansing, written after they had been in progress for several months, leave that point seriously in doubt.

With unqualified sympathy for Mr. Lansing in his affliction and with regret that Mr. Lansing should have been subjected to undeserved condemnation, the demand of the newspaper press without regard to party for an explanation of circumstances altogether bewildering must be accepted as voicing more emphatically than usual the sentiments of the whole body of the people. There may be reasons why Secretary Lansing was no longer serviceable in the State Department. It may be that the President has only now gained information or reached a conclusion as to them. But as the latter stands his curt letter, amounting to a reprimand for duty done under trying conditions, is so deplorable that it admits of no defense.

NEED OF RELIEF WORK.

From the American Review of Reviews.
 WHILE Herbert Hoover has issued several statements to the effect that Europe has diminished need of American relief work, the production of European food having approached normal quantities, there remain some regions whose conditions must appeal to the generosity of the United States. Even though largely true that the plight of Vienna is due to European political mismanagement, we cannot look on and see the children of that great metropolis die of starvation. There are particular movements that will continue to deserve ample private support. One of these is the work for child welfare in Berlin about which we shall publish an article next month. Another is the magnificent work of the Committee for Relief in the Near East, but for which millions of people in parts of the former Turkish Empire—especially Armenians and Greeks—must have perished before this time.

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The Cure for the Nagging Wife Or the "Lordful" Husband Is To Practice Auricular Fatigue

Says John Philip Sousa.

By Fay Stevenson.

HAVE you married man's auricular fatigue? It is the latest method of procuring painless matrimony. Or perhaps it is only a new name—John Philip Sousa's name—for an ancient disease more widespread than the "flu." In "The Transit of Venus," the last of a series of widely popular novels which America's greatest band conductor dashes off in the odd moments when he is not composing or leading patriotic melodies, Mr. Sousa diagnoses married man's auricular fatigue and explains its advantages.

"It is," he says, "a common ailment with married men after the first, fifth and tenth years of married life. In the first stage the husband's ear grows weary while his wife is talking. Then that symptom disappears and he loses his ability to hear his wife. Such expressions common to her, as 'Brute!' 'I won't stand for it!' 'Why did I ever marry you?' make a lighter and fainter impression upon the tympanum and finally become quite inaudible. Knowing what to expect from the resources of an emphatic but comparatively limited vocabulary, the married man doesn't allow his mind to concentrate on his wife's words while she is talking, just as the boiler-maker becomes oblivious to the sound of his riveter and the dweller next to an elevated railroad comes to ignore it. Lack of concentration is the ailment which eliminates all the noises of the world—including a nagging woman."

"Of course I believe in marriage," warmly exclaims Mr. Sousa, with a smile in his shrewd little eyes and a decisive nod of the head set so squarely on his broad shoulders: "I believe in early marriages—I believe in 'em so much that I was married when I was 23 and my wife was a schoolgirl, and I've been exceedingly happy. Yet is there anything which smooths out life more for the average husband or wife than a well-developed case of auricular fatigue?"

"Most people talk too much, you know. Parents talk too much at their children, and the youngsters in self-defense cultivate their auricular fatigue before they're grown. Politicians talk too much, and so do upstarts and anybody with a bee in his silk hat or her bonnet. The only defense of the listeners—I'm one of the best little listeners in the world, by the way—is amiable, tolerant, calm auricular fatigue."

"The first time a man and his wife have a little difficulty and she exclaims, 'Why did I ever marry you?' I can't stand it another moment—the man gets excited and nervous and fighting mad himself. But do you think he is affected in the same way the tenth time he hears those words? Of course not—and it's lucky he isn't. His nerves could never stand the strain."

"Self-preservation also demands that he should cultivate auricular fatigue as regards certain expenditures. When he has heard just so often the request for a new car, or for a place on Long Island, he learns to concentrate on something else besides his ears, while his wife is talking on these topics."

"But you mustn't think," I interpose, "that the complication of all the auricular fatigue of matrimony is monopolized by men. There is no other refuge, I assure you, for the woman whose husband makes a business of censoring her dress, of warning her, conscientiously, when she is too late for the train."

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Two Striking Spring Frock Models



This striking dress for the afternoon dance or evening dinner engagement is fashioned in blue georgette with a white embroidered design making a striking contrast. It is designed in tunic effect with under-dress of lace.

And this smart afternoon frock is designed in black velvet emphasized by an elaborate design embroidered in silk floss. The bodice is cut in tunic effect. At the waistline, a wash of metallic satin and varying colors adds an attractive note.

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HOME ECONOMICS

By Mrs. Elizabeth Kent.

House Decoration.

It is as natural for a woman to wish to decorate her home as it is for her to desire to have a home. In the School of Home Economics so many young women have had an excellent training in house decoration that the number of really artistic homes is greatly on the increase. Decoration itself arises from a love of beauty and a desire to create it. The variety of decoration found in homes means that there is a great diversity of opinion upon what constitutes beauty.

The fundamental reason for having anything in a house is use of function. The rule laid down by William Morris is a safe one to follow: "Have nothing in your house which you do not know to be useful or believe to be beautiful." Use and beauty are the safe guides. As an example of what is meant by use we may say that a bedroom is for sleep and rest, but if the wallpaper and other decorations are so loud that they keep one awake, the decoration is not fulfilling its purpose because it interferes with the use for which the room was intended.

Suppose we wish to decorate a useful thing, as a soup plate or a fish plate. It goes without saying that flowers on a soup plate or on a fish plate seem out of harmony with its intended use. According to this rule also we should not tread upon roses in a carpet. If, moreover, in the study of something that has been decorated it appears that the addition was made merely to show, we are justified in considering it ostentatious and hence vulgar.

Four great underlying principles may serve as guides, unity of effect, atmosphere, harmony and simplicity. It is not possible to get unity of effect in a room where furniture of very varied styles are mixed, as Chippendale and mission furniture. Atmosphere is the spiritual and mental effect produced by the dwellers in the house in their reaction to their surroundings. Harmony is secured by attention to forms and colors to see that they do not clash. No explanation is needed to illustrate simplicity. It does not mean that things are to be cheap or common, but that no matter what the cost of house or furnishings these must not have the appearance of over adornment or vulgar display. Everything in the house should meet these requirements.

NEW NECKLACES

THE makers of necklaces have evidently set out to prove that anything can be used. Silk cord and fringe, crocheted medallions, painted wooden beads and plaster medallions, beads in green and gold, dull silver and platinum effects, leather thongs, carved ivory and galleth, beads of crystal and enamel—everything is grist for the necklace mill.

Of course, you've seen the chains of small beads worn on looms in fascinating tapestry effects. But do you know about those that boast scented medallions?

As your cereal food will save sugar expense as does no other cereal, for

Grape-Nuts

contains its own sugar

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Mrs. Solomon Says---

Being the Confessions of the Seven-Hundredth Wife.

By Helen Rowland.

MY Daughter, ask me why damsels wear furs in August, why dogs bay at the moon, why men grow bald, and why red-haired women are irresistible. But ask me not, I beseech thee, WHY a man seeketh the companionship of one kind of woman—and weddeth the other kind!

For it is too much for me! Now, in Babylon, there dwelt a Bachelor, whose name was "Phlander," which is to say, One-who Rulth-His-Own-Heart, and enjoyeth his freedom.

And the Matchmakers besieged him, continuously, saying: "Why dost thou not marry?" But he closed one eye, and answered: "Nay, verily! For my time hath not yet come!"

"Behold I am full of happiness, and possessed of every comfort. My shelves are covered with beloved books, mine abode is bright with college pillows and the trophies of the field. My cellarette is full, my pipe is good, and I have 17 damsels upon my calling list."

Yet, peradventure, when my girl and mine income shall increase, and my hair beginneth to thin out, I shall seek a wife. But she shall be like unto none of these, who now divert me; neither a tomboy in smocks, nor a highbrow in goggles, nor a remnant from Reno, nor a flirt-in-flapper clothing; but a REGULAR GIRL, who will make me a HAPPY HOME!"

And it came to pass, even as he had said, that his fortune grew fat, and his hair grew thin, and he met the Woman of his dreams.

And the Matchmakers rejoiced, crying: "How perfectly lovely!"

And Phlander congratulated himself mightily. For she was every man's Ideal Woman: even a pink-and-white damsel, with a lip and a dimple, and domestic tastes, and a one-civilized mind.

And when they were married, she began at once to make home "happy" for him.

Behold, she cast out the contents of his cellarette, and replaced them with her fancy work, and embroidered silk, and dainty things.

She CLEANED his desk, and bestowed his Morris chair upon the ashman; and his comfortable antique she exchanged for brand-new mahogany furniture, until the house was full and running over.

She covered all his college pillows with rose-pink satin, and hid his trophies away in the closet, where they might not offend the eyes.

She flung his oldest pipe away, saying that they scented up the curtains; and his woolen bathrobe she replaced with a "loungeing coat" of pure velveteen.

And when his shelves she kept only the "pretty books"; but the dog-eared and well-thumbed volumes she sold for "old paper."

And, as for the 17 damsels who had been his life, in the bachelor days, they were NOT in "the set," and Lothario saw them no more.

Yet, when the comrades of his youth questioned him, Lothario smiled scornfully, and answered them, saying:

"Verily, verily, my wife is a wonder—and I am perfectly HAPPY! Yes, married life is the only life!"

And he spoke truly or falsely, he knew not.

For what man will admit in his heart that his JUDGMENT is not infallible?

Selah!

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Activities of Women.

Miss Antoinette Vonasek, engineer in a New York public school, is the only licensed woman engineer in New York State.

A movement has been launched in Japan by the women of that country which has as its aim the discarding of the kimono.

The Universities of Oxford, Glasgow, Cambridge, Manchester, Dublin and Aberdeen admit women to the engineering courses.

Of the 171 members of the Advisory Committee on Politics and Platform appointed by the Republican National Committee, 17 are women.

The League for Social Rights of Women in Paris has started a campaign against immoral dresses, those too low in the bust or with skirts too short.

Mrs. Edward C. Griffith, of New York, has the distinction of being the first woman to obtain from the Cuban Government a license to drive an automobile on that island.

While blacksmithing is generally conceded to be a man's job, it is estimated that there are in the United States no less than 100 women earning a livelihood in this line of endeavor.

In the 1918 elections in Denmark, nine women were elected to the Landsting, which corresponds to our Senate, and four to the Folketing, which is the lower house of the Danish Congress.

Mrs. Herbert C. Hoover, as is not generally known, is a geologist and mining engineer, like her husband. They graduated in fact about the same time from the School of Mines at Leland Stanford University, Cal.

Miss Margaret Bondfield, secretary of the National Federation of Women Workers, who was a member of the British delegation to the Labor Congress at Washington, has been adopted as the Parliamentary candidate of the Laborites for the seat for Northampton.

A Voice From the Hidden World

By E. Phillips Oppenheim.

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CHAPTER I (Continued).

SHE hesitated, and the color came and went quickly in her delicate cheeks. There was no doubt about it; she was a perfectly beautiful woman.

"Do you think that it is a pretty gown? It is a little old, I know," she went on hurriedly, "but it is nicely made and the colors used to suit me. I was different then, though," she added, with a sigh.

I was scarcely more than a boy, and a most unprofessional lump had risen in my throat. To me there was something very pathetic about that dress, and the other little attempts at decoration about the room. I knew too well the meaning of that exquisite color and the unreal beauty of her face.

Loth though I was to admit it to myself, they were too ethereal for health. It was like the strange starlike beauty of some tropical plant which blossoms into perfection and fades in a single day. My heart was sad, and though I answered cheerfully, I kept my face turned away.

"You look charming, Miss Desmond. Let me wish you a very happy Christmas, and no end of good fortune in the new year."

"Thank you, doctor. Do you know I believe that your wish will come true down inspecting a visitor?"

A visitor! It was odd how interested I felt. I sat up in my chair and looked at her inquiringly.

"Indeed! Some of your relations, I presume?"

She was a full minute before she answered me. During that time I could hear my heart beat, and I crushed a fallen cinder under my boot into powder.

"No, it is only—a friend."

"A man?"

She was too absorbed to notice or resent the impertinence of the question. There was a shy, soft look in her clear eyes, and a happy smile parting her lips. Her thoughts were far away, and I was forgotten. As for me, the light seemed to have died out of the bright winter day. The cheerful, blazing fire which dwined into a handful of white ashes. I felt chilled and heartless.

I could not understand what had happened, but I knew that I had a longing to get away into my room and lock the door upon my misery. Yet I must be quite certain.

"He is a very dear friend, I suppose?"

"Very, very dear."

"Why has he not come to see you before?"

"He has been away. He has known nothing. I have been content to wait for his return. He will come to me now."

The dreamy, far-away look maddened me. It was strange that she did not notice the sharpness of my tone.

"Is that why you are wearing that dress?"

"Yes. It was his favorite. He used to think I looked better in it than anything."

She was actually blushing now. I looked away quickly, with something like a groan almost escaping me.

"So you have been keeping it for him. You would not let any one else see you in it, even?"

Her expression changed swiftly. I had touched a painful chord. How I hated myself for it.

"It was not that," she said in a low tone. "I had not got it. I was very poor, and I had to—to part with it for a time. But I used to lay by a little every week, and yesterday I was able to bring it away. Oh, how thankful I was! All the others have gone, but it would have broken my heart to have parted with this one. He liked it so much."

A great wave of pity rose up in my heart and swept away every meaner feeling before it. I bent forward with my eyes fixed upon the fire, and all that I could so well imagine seemed to rise up before me in a sort of dream picture.

"Do not forgive me for interrupting your day-dream," she said nervously.

"I ask you again whether you will come to her, Dr. Faggett?" he said abruptly. "I left her in a faint, and the case may be urgent. Kindly postpone your curiosity as to my personal appearance until you have seen your patient."

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